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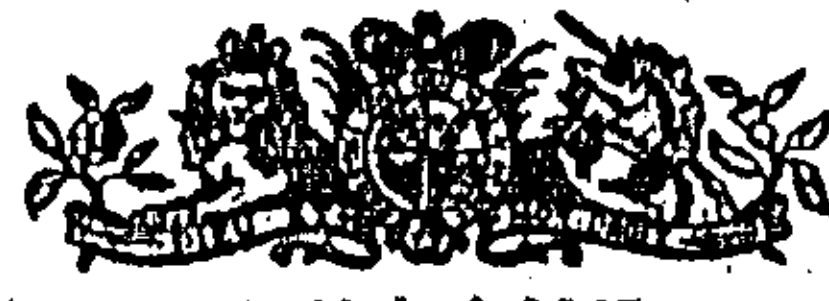
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What next?

MONDAY'S launching of the vehicular ferry, Min Ho, marks the completion of the current building programme for the new North Point-Kowloon City route. It will be a few months yet before it is ready to begin service, but since the new piers are not likely to be completed before early next year there is no pressing hurry for the vessel. A second vehicular service is running already and it has made a substantial difference to waiting time.

It was not uncommon before this temporary service was instituted to wait on a summer's weekend anything up to two hours before driving on to a ferry. There are possibly exceptional days still when there are tiresome delays but during last winter there was an obvious improvement, and when a full temporary service is running later this year with four ferries, waiting time should be further reduced.

IT is possible to imagine the chaos there would be today if the company had waited for the new piers before introducing the second service. As it is work on the these piers has been put back by the capsizing of the dredger earlier this year; the delivery of mechanical hoists and ramps from the United Kingdom is still awaited and no definite date can be given for completion, although it should be some time early next year.

This will then permit a breathing space of a few years in our cross-harbour communications while official consideration is given to some further scheme, be it an additional ferry run, a tunnel, a bridge, or the Western Approaches project. For there can be no doubt that at the rate the volume of traffic is increasing — ten new cars a month in April — it is only a matter of time before the ferry queues begin building up again. And once more Government will be under pressure to take action.

THERE was a time when the bridge seemed the best long-term bet. But official interest has since cooled with the realisation that Hongkong's central district would rapidly become paralysed if a share of Kowloon traffic were to be added to it. Presumably the same objection applies to a tunnel. This leaves for consideration another of the Western Approaches scheme, which would have the merit of introducing island-bound traffic away from the main city roads. We urge Government to give early priority to the long-term future of communications between island and mainland.

For the present, the vehicular ferry company is to be complimented for getting its new ferries into service so quickly. A further move which would eliminate friction among waiting motorists would be to allow all cars — big and small — to board the ferry in the order of their arrival, instead of maintaining big and small car queues. This would mean charging all private cars the same, irrespective of horse power rating, with special rates for motor cycles, scooters and lorries. But this would be preferable to the existing arrangement. The big car/small car rate is an annoying anachronism which should be replaced as soon as possible.

# HK-American textile export talks GOVT DENIES DECISION MADE

Statement  
clarifies  
comments

Government today denied that it has made a decision on any matter which is likely to be raised during forthcoming talks on textile exports between Hongkong and American Government representatives.

MANY FEARED  
DEAD IN  
CYCLONE

Dacca, May 9.  
A cyclone ravaged the coastal belt of East Pakistan today, killing 22 persons before veering out of the area. The killer wind was followed by tidal waves which were feared to have killed many in the offshore islands.

The edge of the storm whirled through Dacca itself for six hours, destroying about 3,000 houses and killing at least four people and injuring 50 others.

Shipping was hard-hit by the cyclone. Twelve cargo ships were sunk in the port of Chalna while another three were driven ashore. A total of 75 barges and six launches capsized when the 150-mile-an-hour winds ravaged the coastal area.

In Chalna port and Khulna alone, six were killed and four others, including two sailors, missing and presumed dead. Fifteen-foot waves crashed into the off-shore islands of Ramgali and Haliya but details of damage were still unknown.—UPI.

Swart first  
S. African  
President



Mr Charles Swart

Capetown, May 10.  
Mr Charles Robert Swart, former Governor-General of South Africa, will be elected today first President of the republic to be established on May 31.

Unlike the presidential elections of the Republic of the Orange Free State and the Transvaal in the last century, today's will not be by direct popular vote but by vote of an electoral college composed of members of the two Houses of the Union's Parliament meeting in joint session.—Reuters.

This morning an English-language newspaper said the Hongkong Government had "already made a vital decision on the quota question."

Government today issued a statement to clarify comments made in London and local speculation about the visit to the United Kingdom of the Financial Secretary, Mr J. J. Cowperthwaite, and the Director of Commerce and Industry, Mr H. A. Angus.

The statement said: "President Kennedy recently announced his intention of calling a conference of the main textile importing and exporting countries to attempt to work out a long-term solution to the problems arising from international trade in textiles."

"A later announcement said the U.S. Government proposed to hold preliminary discussions with a number of the principal countries involved."

Opportunity

"The opportunity is accordingly being taken of the presence of officials in Europe for the session of the GATT and the Commonwealth senior economic officials' conference later this month to hold Hongkong/U.S. discussions in London next week on international textile problems as they involve Hongkong."

"As already announced, Mr J. J. Cowperthwaite, Financial Secretary and Mr H. A. Angus, Director of Commerce and Industry, will represent Hongkong."

"The leaders of local industrial and commercial organisations have already been informed about the forthcoming discussions and have agreed that Hongkong should be represented at them."

"There is no question of any decision having been taken by Government on any matter which is likely to arise during the discussions nor of the Hongkong representatives entering into any commitments without further consultation with the industry in Hongkong."

Incorrect

"Local reports that the discussions will be linked with the question of Hongkong textile exports to the United Kingdom are incorrect."

"The reports were presumably prompted by the situation arising from the recent statement on behalf of the three textile associations in Hongkong about non-renewal of the understanding."

"The Lancashire situation will not be discussed in London except in so far as it may be affected by U.S. proposals for a long-term international agreement on the trade in textiles."

Undiplomatic

Rome, May 9.  
Tanel Kekkonen, First Secretary of the Finnish Embassy here, son of Finnish President Urho Kekkonen was injured today in the right eye by a rifle-toe-heel shoe thrown at him by his wife.

He was in hospital and was expected to have completely recovered within about a week. Mr Kekkonen was in a car with his young wife when an argument broke out and she threw off her shoe and threw it at him.

Alarmed, she called to policeman, who immediately came to help Mr Kekkonen.—AFP.

FIRE IN  
SHIP'S  
HOLD

A ship with a cargo of burning charcoal put into Junk Bay this afternoon and fire fighters immediately went aboard to put out the fire.

A fire float was standing by. The blaze broke out as the ship, ss Hero, approached the Colony this morning.

The ship's captain wired Hongkong. He later reported that the fire had been brought under control.

The Norwegian ship is carrying 2,000 tons of charcoal in bags in No. 1 hold.

She is owned by the Norwegian-Asia Lines Ltd. The cause of the fire is not yet known.

The Hero, 2,450-ton, will enter dock after the fire has been put out, a spokesman for Thoresen & Co Ltd said this morning.

Hillary  
suffers  
stroke



Sir Edmund Hillary

Katmandu, May 9.  
Sir Edmund Hillary, New Zealand climber who conquered Mount Everest, suffered a mild stroke in the Himalayas on Sunday, according to a message received here today.

The message said he might be unable to climb the 27,790-ft high Mount Makalu, another Himalayan peak, as he planned.

But it added there was "nothing serious" in the 41-year-old climber's condition.

Sir Edmund is leading a mixed expedition of British, American and New Zealand climbers now approaching the end of a nine-month operation in the Himalayas.

His final aim is to climb Mount Makalu, which is higher than Everest, without the aid of oxygen.

The message did not say exactly where Sir Edmund was when he suffered the heart attack.

But he was known to have helped establish the party's third camp in the last week of April in preparation for the assault on the peak.—Reuters.

BIG KMB SHARE  
SCRAMBLE

18,410 sold in two hours.

There was a scramble to buy the new Kowloon Motor Bus shares when they came on the Stock Exchange for the first time this morning and most sellers made almost \$30 profit on each share they sold.

KOWLOON  
GUN  
BATTLE

Police fought a brief gun battle with three suspected armed robbers in the darkness of Wyllie-road, Kowloon, at 4 am today.

The shooting followed a reported armed robbery in which a woman, believed to be Chinese, was robbed of her wrist-watch.

The woman was returning home in Nathan-road, Mongkok when she was held up by two men on a chair.

One of the two men threatened her with a knife and stole her watch.

She reported this to the Police and immediately a large force began a search for the robbers.

OPENED FIRE

In Wyllie-road at about 4 am Police stopped a car and ordered the passengers out.

Three men jumped out and ran away.

As they fled into the darkness, one pulled out a revolver and turned and fired it at the police group.

The police gave chase and returned the fire but the gang escaped.

More police arrived later and combed the area thoroughly.

Three men were later detained for questioning.

16 fishermen  
killed by  
dynamite

Manila, May 10.  
Sixteen persons, including women, were killed yesterday when dynamite sticks exploded aboard a motor fishing boat in southeastern Philippine waters, according to press reports here.

There was no immediate confirmation of the reports, from Philippine Constabulary authorities.

Manila press reports quoted fishermen as saying that the explosion occurred off Kilituban, a small island between Bohol and Mactan Islands, southeast of Manila.

No names were mentioned by the fishermen, who claimed the fatalities included some women.

The fishermen said the blast badly damaged the boat. In addition, they said, money from the sale of fish was lost.

The constabulary authorities admitted the resurgence of blast fishing lately in waters near the islands between Bohol and Mactan.—UPI.

A total of 10,410 shares changed hands in the two-hour session at prices ranging from \$82 to \$88. The market closed at \$86½ and most shares changed hands between \$86½ and \$88.

Big demand

Total stock exchange turnover was \$7,010,000.

The shares were offered to the public recently at \$58 each but because of the big demand the new issues were oversubscribed more than five times.

This meant that those who received the new shares received about one-fifth of what they ordered.

The Kowloon Motor Bus Company sold a total of 783,789 shares to the public.

Although the shares were quoted officially at the Stock Exchange this morning, there had been unofficial offers to buy at between \$83 and \$86 during the past two or three days.

Shah dissolves  
Houses of  
Parliament

Tehran, May 9.  
The Shah of Iran tonight dissolved both Houses of the Iranian Parliament on the grounds their members won improper elections.

The action came less than a week after the fall of the Iranian Government of Premier Shero Enami and the appointment of Dr Ali Amini to form a new one.

Dr Amini presented his new Cabinet to the Shah today and dissolution of Parliament had been expected immediately to pave the way for "revolutionary" reforms.

NATIONAL INTERESTS

The Shah fulfilled that expectation in a decree, broadcast to the nation tonight, in which he dissolved both the Senate and the Majlis—the two Houses.

The Shah said his action was based on "consideration of the interests of the nation and of constitutional demands."

The Shah's decree said the elections held under Mr Enami were not conducted properly. Under present law, no elections could be considered proper and fair.

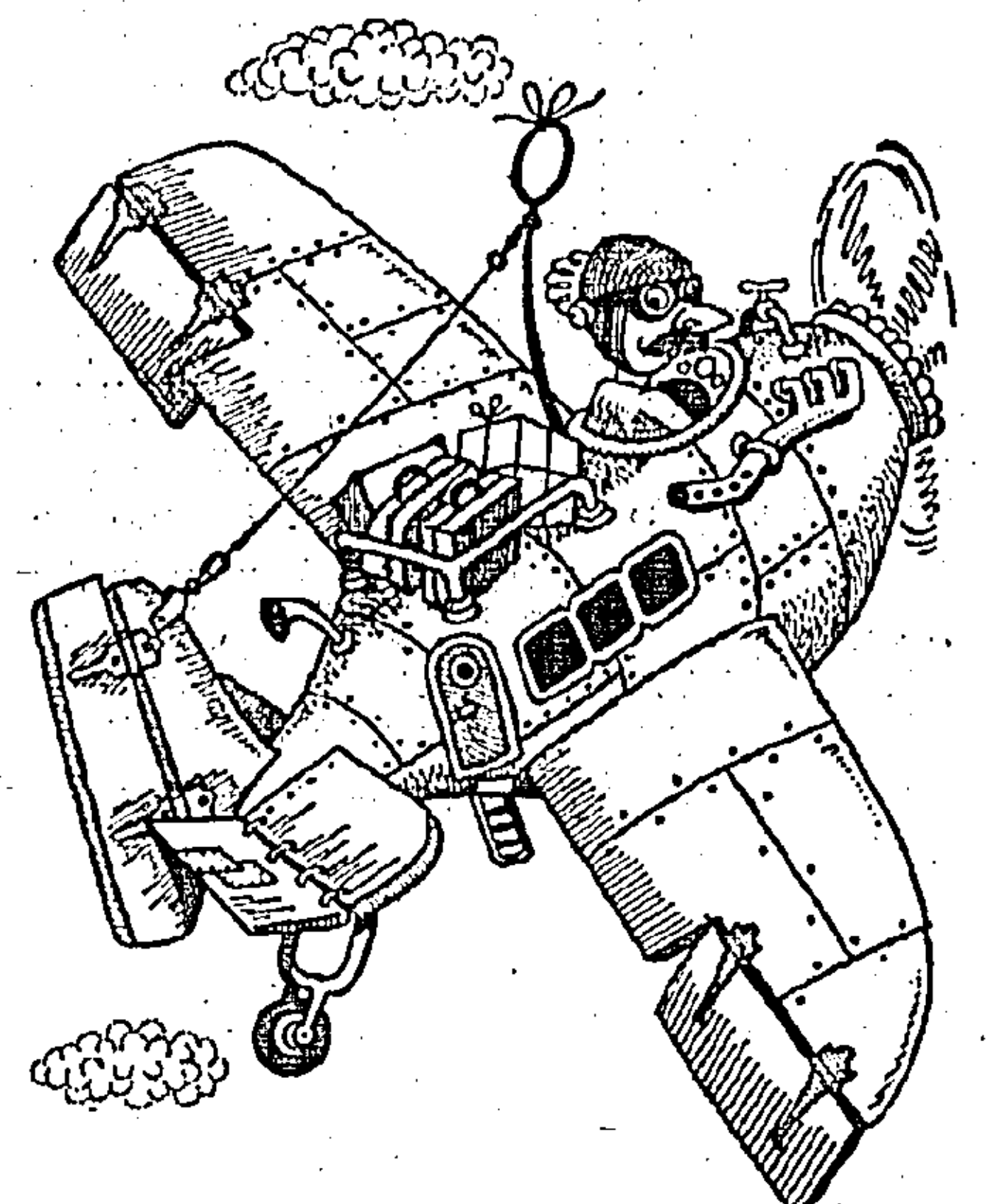
The decree appeared to forecast reforms at least in the nation's election laws.—UPI.

5 CHILDREN  
DIE IN FIRE

Halifax, May 9.

Five children aged from two to 10 died early today when fire swept a two-storey tenement here. They were the entire family of Mr and Mrs John Wagerman, who jumped to safety from a second floor window.

Police said the father, who serves in the Canadian Navy, must have made a valiant attempt to save the children as he received severe burns. His wife, Isabel, was also burned.—China Mail Special.



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Millionaire in minute

Cardiff, May 9.  
In just one minute on the Cardiff Stock Exchange today 56-year-old Mr Julian Hodge, once a 30 shilling a week without clerk and now head of Gwent and West of England Enterprises, became a millionaire.

Shares in his company, which has a wide variety of interests including hire-purchase, road

haulage and caravan sites, were placed on the market for the first time nearly 300 They rocketed from seven shillings and ninepence to 30 shillings. A company spokesman said the Hodge family had 3,107,531 shares in the company — "which makes them worth about £4,500,000 on paper." The spokesman said about

550,000 shares were made available to the public, but half were reserved for depositors who had been faithful to the company over the years.

"We received telegrams from depositors from many parts of the world, including Nigeria and Kenya," the spokesman added.—Reuters.



# Heavy trading brings gains to Wall Street

New York, May 9.  
The stock market closed slightly higher in heavy trading today.

The market was mixed at the opening. It remained that way until the final hour when there was a modest improvement in prices.

Most gains ranged from a few cents to around one dollar a share.

Standard and Poor's 500 stock index rose a modest six cents to 500.47. The S&P 425 industrial gained four cents at 570.37.

Of 1,200 issues traded, 577 advanced, 521 declined and 200 closed unchanged. There were 110 new high and eight new lows.

Some of the electronics, aircraft-missiles and other space age issues made good gains. The rails, utilities, rubbers and drugs advanced. Steels, chemicals and petroleum declined.

The Associated Press 60-stock average declined .10 to 246.70. The Dow Jones 30 industrial was off 2.14 at 686.02.

Volume rose to 5,380,000 shares compared with 5,170,000 shares traded on Monday.

It was the largest volume since April 17 when 5,800,000 shares changed hands. A market feature was Avnet Electronics which fell \$9.37 to \$56.37 after the New York Stock Exchange banned "stop" orders in the issue. Avnet has had a sensational rise in recent months.—AP.

## Closing prices

Alcoa Inc. & Paper	20 3/4
Alcoa Inc. Adv.	21 1/4
Alcoa Steel Corp.	21 1/4
Alcoa Chemicals	21 1/4
Alcoa Mills Inc.	21 1/4
Alcoa Alumina	21 1/4
Alcoa Bauxite	21 1/4
American Airlines	21 1/4
American Cable & Radio Corp.	21 1/4
American Cyanamid Co.	21 1/4
Amer. Gas & Electric	21 1/4
Amer. Home Prod.	21 1/4
Amer. Mach. & Foundry	21 1/4
American Metal	21 1/4
Amer. Natural Gas	21 1/4
Amer. Smelting	21 1/4
Amer. Sugar Ref.	21 1/4
American Tel. & Tel.	21 1/4
American Tob.	21 1/4
Amplex	21 1/4
Armstrong	21 1/4
Artesian Corp.	21 1/4

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## Steel industry could step up selling prices

London, May 9.  
The steel industry in Britain has a good case to step up its selling prices, Metal Bulletin said today and felt it likely such an advance would come.

It was important to keep British mills at the highest competitive level through the need to improve direct exports of steel. Reasonable steel prices helped the export success of the engineering industries an editorial said. But, it added, many of the new cost factors for steel were outside the industry's own control.

Metal Bulletin listed the cost increases starting with the advance in coal prices last autumn which would add £19 million to the industry's bills. There is also an increase in rates (tax) to be paid to local authorities on industrial premises.

### THE BUDGET

The government's April budget forecasted three fresh cost increases, the new tax on fuel oil of which the industry is a big consumer, increased company profits tax, and the possibility of a payroll tax for every worker on the books. This last item, if imposed, would cost British steel some £4.5 million a year.

The industry could save some money if it was permitted to import cheap American coal for coastal plants as European mills were doing, the magazine said.—UPI.

### UNIT TRUSTS

First Hongkong Fund, ex dividend: \$1.34 (buyer), \$1.43 (seller). Special offer seller price: \$1.38.  
Second Hongkong Fund: \$1 (buyer), \$1.06 (seller).

## CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, May 9.  
Grain futures prices closed irregular on the Board of Trade today with soybeans showing weakness on a flourish of selling by commission houses.

At one point May wheat made new season's lows on liquidation. Local buying, however, lifted deferred months to above the previous close shortly before the final bell.

Soybeans slowed after an early burst of activity. Commission house trade was mixed with long selling on the bulges.—UPI.

## COMMODITY PRICES

### COTTON

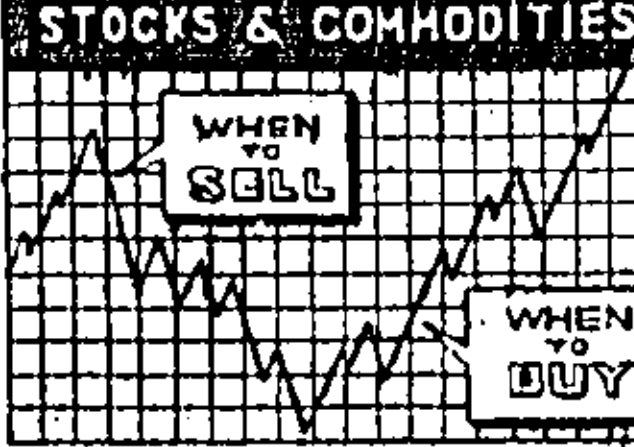
NEW YORK  
Closing prices all in cents per lb.

Spot	34.00 nom
Oct.	34.20
Dec.	34.20
Mar.	34.20
May	34.20
Oct.	34.20

LIVERPOOL  
Closing prices all in pence per lb.

American Contract	24.10
May	24.10
July	24.10
Oct.	24.10
Dec.	24.10
Mar.	24.10
May	24.10
Oct.	24.10

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### MIXED CONTRACT

May	24.45
July	24.45
Oct.	24.45
Dec.	24.45
Mar.	24.45
May	24.45
Oct.	24.45

NEW YORK  
Closing prices all in cents per lb.

Spot	10.25
May	10.25
July	10.25
Oct.	10.25
Dec.	10.25
Mar.	10.25
May	10.25
Oct.	10.25

LONDON  
Closing prices all in pence per lb.

May	20 1/2
July	20 1/2
Oct.	20 1/2
Dec.	20 1/2
Mar.	20 1/2
May	20 1/2
Oct.	20 1/2

Closing prices, all in sterling per long ton:

Tin	201 1/2
3-month	201 1/2
Copper	241 1/2
3-month	241 1/2
Lead	241 1/2
3-month	241 1/2
Zinc	241 1/2
3-month	241 1/2

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## London market irregular in brisk trading

London, May 9.  
Stocks made a mixed showing in brisk two-way trading today. Profit takers and new buyers resulted in plus and minus marks on the list with several market leaders ending fractions lower.

In aircrafts, the Fairey group dropped nearly eight shillings to 22 shillings on a half-year statement and no interim dividend.

A newcomer, Gwent and West of England Enterprises, took off on first dealings, soaring from 7/0 to 28/6 before settling at 25 shillings. Schweppes were a standard jumping nearly three shillings to 30/9. Glaxo went ahead with International Computers.

Among leaders giving ground were Unilever, Rolls Royce, British American Tobacco, Imperial Chemical, Marks and Spencer, Electric and Musical Industries, Courtlaids and Woolworth.

Coppers were neglected while tin continued their rapid advance, gains going to four shillings.

Gold-edged cases and foreign bonds lacked features. Dollar stocks moved downwards but U.S. Steel and Ford went against the trend.

Leasing oils were dull, Anglo-Texas and rubbers held steady.—UPI.

### Closing prices

British Government Securities	2 1/2
Consolidated	2 1/2
Conversion	2 1/2
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# Katanga's President is charged with treachery

## CONGO TO HOLD TSHOMBE

### Power to detain for six months without trial

Leopoldville, May 9. — The Congo Government here today published an "Act of Internment" under which it claimed legal powers to detain President Moise Tshombe of Katanga for six months without trial for allegedly threatening the security of the state.

The Act, signed by Mr Cyrille Adoula, Minister of the Interior, comes 13 days after Mr Tshombe was seized by Congolese soldiers as he prepared to quit the conference of political leaders at Coquilhatville.

The Act charges Mr Tshombe with treachery and causing civil war which brought about the deaths of Congolese citizens.

Similar charges are laid against his foreign minister, Mr Evariste Kimba, who is at present held with him in Coquilhatville.

The "Act of Internment" said Mr Tshombe is made under the law of February 25, which gives the government power to detain without trial.

#### DECISION

Mr Tshombe's fate will be decided by a legal review commission which will study the evidence against him and report to the Leopoldville Prime Minister.

Within eight days of receiving the commission's report the Prime Minister will decide either to continue the internment for six months or have Mr Tshombe brought to trial.

The statement did not say who would form the commission.

The Act charged Mr Tshombe with usurping the powers of the head of state although he only had those of a provincial governor. Other charges were also listed.

"All these acts or acts of treachery had put the security of the state in danger", the statement said.

It said all efforts of the legal head of state and government to end "these grave abuses" through wise counsel had proved in vain.—Reuter.

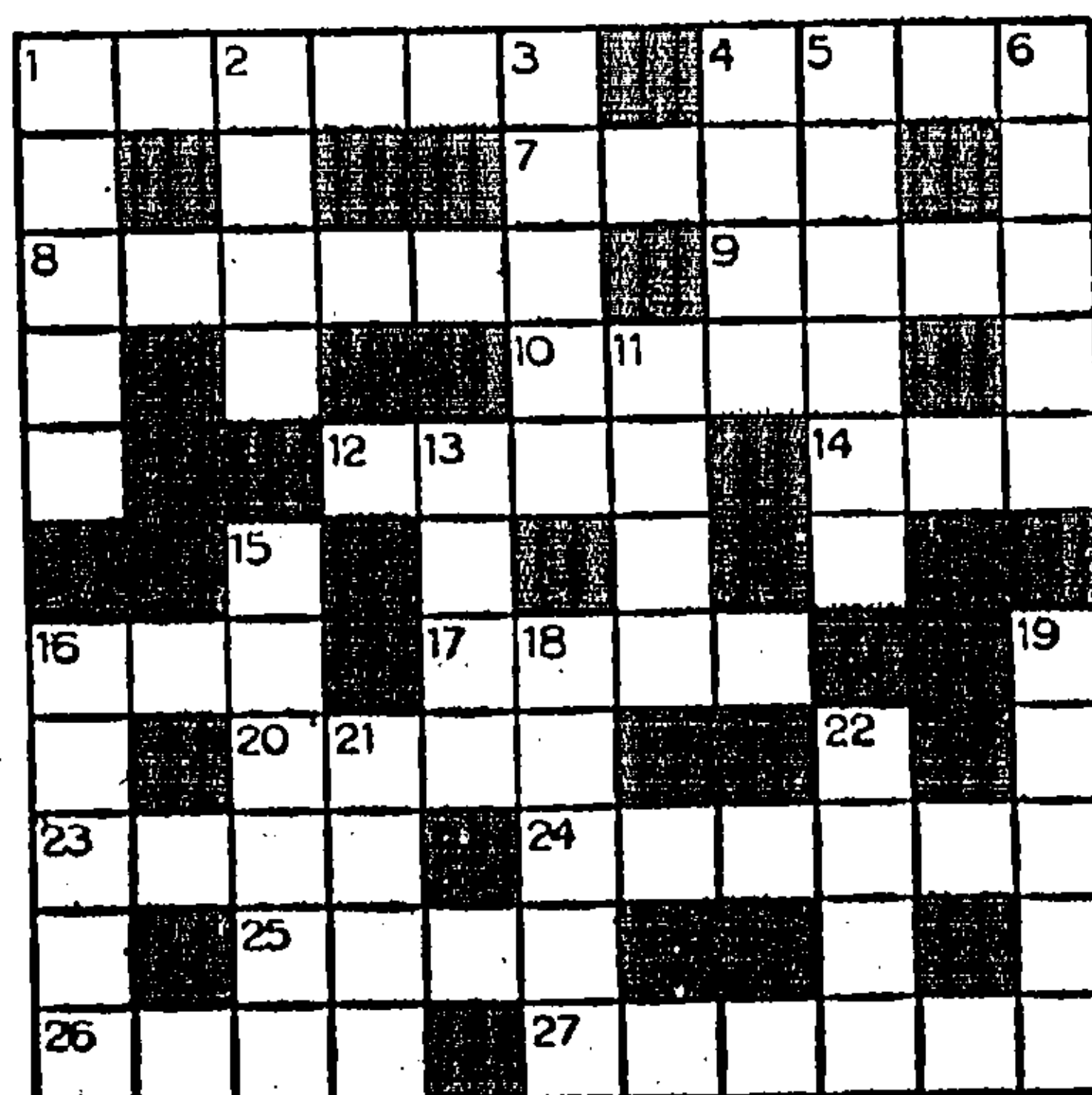
#### A BRITISH TRADE FAIR IN PEKING?

London, May 9. — Mr Ellis Smith (Labour) asked the President of the Board of Trade in the House of Commons today if he will seek to arrange for a British trade fair to be held in Peking.

Mr F. A. Erroll, Minister of State, Board of Trade, replied that the organisation of trade fairs was primarily a matter for industry.

He was therefore passing Mr Smith's suggestion to the trade bodies concerned.—Reuter.

#### A British Crossword Puzzle



**ACROSS**  
1 Gardener's watch?  
4 Leading light!  
7 Buck up?  
8 Is turned into soup.  
9 Animal covering.  
10 Action.  
12 Besides.  
14 Not even strangol.  
15 Amount.  
17 Demands.  
20 Uninteresting cypers?  
23 Appeal.  
24 Woman's name?  
25 Pay lift.  
26 Enumeration.  
27 Quick grower?

**DOWN**  
1 Birthday honour?  
2 Especially good?  
3 Newspaper crowd?  
4 Dillo.  
5 Stand.  
6 At an angle.  
11 Wood.  
13 Monarch.  
15 They're dying.  
16 Being.  
18 Cut off.  
19 Tier.  
21 Forget it!  
22 Tawny beast.

**YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD**—Across: 1 Stout, 4 Bowls, 7 Rio, 9 Gannet, 11 Bill, 12 Egg, 13 Concern, 15 Tighten, 18 Con, 19 Obese, 20 Strong, 23 Top, 24 Swear, 25 Twist, Down: 1 Suggestions, 2 Urn, 3 Tie, 5 White, 6 Silent Night, 8 Otto, 10 Nag, 13 Cat, 14 Nun, 16 Grove, 17 East, 18 Cow, 21 Tot, 22 Row.

## U.S. commits Polaris submarines to Nato alliance

Oslo, May 9. — The United States today told its Nato allies that it will commit Polaris-carrying nuclear submarines to the defence of the Nato area.

US Secretary of State Dean Rusk made the offer to the Foreign Ministers of the Nato alliance, meeting here for a three-day session, high conference sources said.

Mr Rusk did not elaborate on the offer but it was understood that it comprises five nuclear submarines equipped with medium range Polaris missiles.

The United States may commit additional Polaris carrying submarines to the Nato area when available.

Today's offer was a revival of a proposal of the Eisenhower administration made to Nato at its December conference in Paris.

Former US Secretary of State Christian Herter made the offer but at the time coupled it with the proposals that the Nato allies place 100 American-made Polaris missiles in Europe at mobile bases.

#### Not revived

The administration of President Kennedy did not revive today the plan to equip the Nato alliance with such independent Polaris missiles.

Mr Rusk told the ministers that Nato's Permanent Council should review Nato's overall military situation as a matter of urgency.

The question of Nato's future nuclear strategy is in abeyance and under close study presently by the Nato Council in Paris.

Mr Rusk put the plan to the Nato Foreign Ministers, who ended it at once.

The United States intends to consult the allies on all the major international issues, as soon as they arise, and before taking decisions on them, save in emergency.

The American offers were prompted by the desire of the new U.S. administration to strengthen the Western alliance against the menacing Soviet global policy of encirclement.—UPI.

## Hongkong exports to UK jump

London, May 10. — Hongkong's exports to the United Kingdom jumped by more than £2,250 million for the first three months of this year, the latest British Government figures show.

The official Board of Trade figures also show that whereas British exports to the Colony for the same periods in 1959 and 1960 were greater than imports, the reverse was true for the first quarter of this year.

The increase in Hongkong goods sent here, according to a spokesman at the Hongkong Government office here, was in contrast to a slight fall in the Colony's exports to this year to world markets when compared to last year.

#### NOT SEASONAL

For the first three months of 1961 the value of goods sent into Britain from Hongkong is given as roughly £11.98 million compared to £9.72 million for the first quarter of 1960.

The Hongkong office spokesman said this increase seemed to reflect "a general trend" of Hongkong exports to the United Kingdom and was not due to any temporary or seasonal factor.

The shift in the trade balance between the British Isles and Hongkong seems a continuation of trend for the last several years where the balance of trade has been steadily narrowing.

Last year, in fact, the Board of Trade figures showed Britain, rather than Hongkong, with the adverse balance. But since the carrying trade is mostly in the hands of the British shipping companies the true balance probably was with Britain.

#### FIRST QUARTER

In 1961, however, the Board's figures show that for the first quarter British exports to Hongkong were worth £10.32 million, roughly £1.66 million less than the imports from the Colony during the same period.

For the same periods for the two preceding years, British exports to Hongkong outweighed imports from the Colony by about £760,000 in 1959 and £260,000 in 1960.—UPI.

## Handwriting expert up for forgery

Wiesbaden, May 9. — A police handwriting expert who has spent several years as an expert helping criminal investigations appeared in court here today — charged with forgery.

And West German newspapers said that if he is found guilty at the end of the adjourned case, people convicted on his evidence in previous cases will judge appeals.

The prosecution alleged that 39-year-old Edgar Brocken forged the signatures of university professors on a psychology diploma and on a doctorate.

Then, the prosecution said, he used two diplomas to back up his successful application for the police job.—Reuter.

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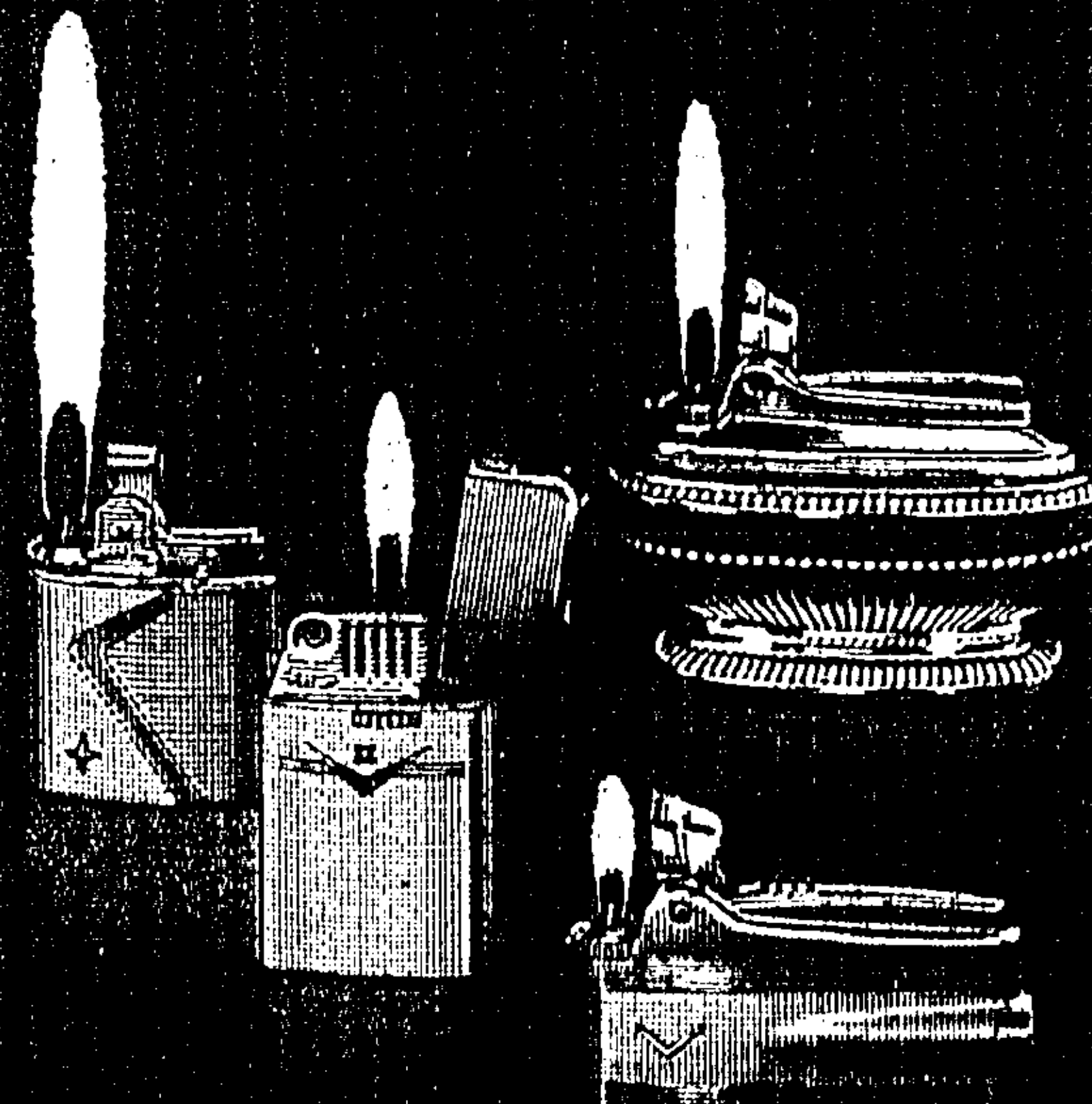
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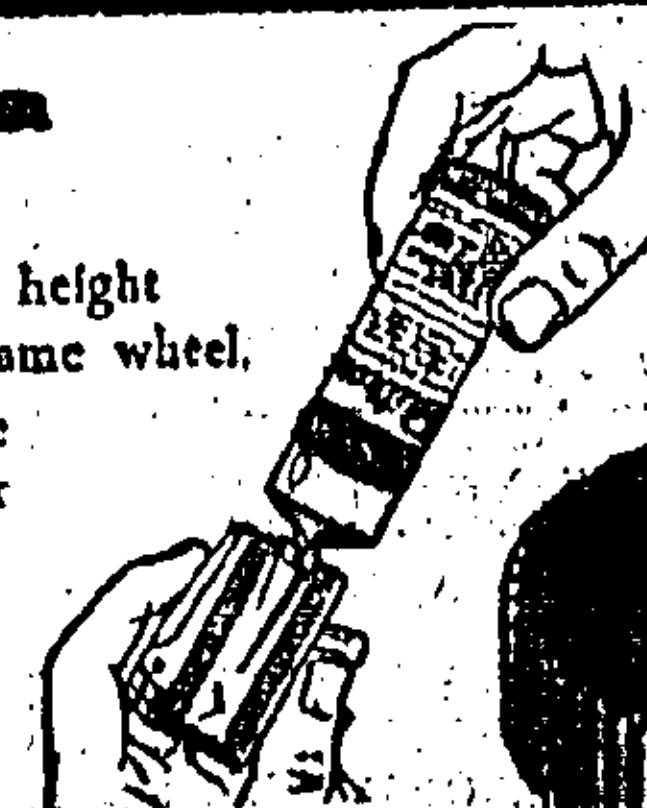
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British newsletter from Peter Burgoyne

# Black week for Labour in Britain

London.  
There is nothing very novel any more about point-  
ing out that it has been a black week for  
Labour Britain.  
Deep, dark depression over the Left was an ex-  
tremely understandable state of affairs after  
the rout of the last General Election. Things  
can look pretty deeply dark when all has just  
been lost and there is so long to wait for an-  
other chance.

Nevertheless, many (and not  
only the hard core of Transport  
House faithful) have felt con-  
cern of recent weeks about the  
present unbalanced situation  
produced at Westminster by  
Labour "blues".

It has dawned on many a  
Tory MP lately that there is  
some good, after all, to be said  
of a strong, fighting Opposition.  
But only after this very con-  
fession has disappeared, if only  
temporarily.

There have even been sug-  
gestions that unless things im-  
prove the Conservative Govern-  
ment may eventually have to  
develop its own built-in "op-  
position" from its own back  
benches.

So there are many scanning  
those Socialist storm-clouds for  
the first hint of a break. After  
all, there will be another elec-  
tion; and there must be a lot to  
do.

They scan in vain as yet.  
Hugh Gaittelli and his  
Socialist leaders decided that  
low attendance figures, and  
signs of slackness among  
Labour MPs, had reached the  
pitch when something must be  
done.

'PEP'-TALK  
At a private "pep"-talk in  
the Commons, 100 of them  
were told that they must buck  
up. They tended to agree with  
him, it was reported, and point-  
ed to internal Party strife in  
explanation of their low morale.  
Another news item, announc-  
ing the disaffection of trade  
unions that had formerly back-  
ed the unilateralist line of Mr  
Gaittelli, would be a rival  
Frank Cousins could even be  
the beginning of it.

Everyone is sure the clouds  
will break.  
But will the sun burst  
through in time to shine on a  
still whole Labour Party: a still  
fighting Opposition?

Can it really be true? Tele-  
vision in Britain, said a  
report, is losing its  
popularity fast. Over  
the past fifteen months,  
TV executives have been  
shocked to learn, the  
average viewer's daily  
stint has fallen by almost  
thirty minutes. It is  
down to a mere 4.6 hours  
now, and dropping still.

It is hardly encouraging  
that the Incorporated Society of  
British Advertisers chose this  
same week to announce that "a  
great many" TV advertisers  
wish to drop their present con-  
tracts with programme com-  
panies, because the Gov-  
ernment's 10 per cent tax  
on TV advertising is being passed  
on to them.

The advertisers are said to  
feel that the rates are too high  
as it is; and to be planning  
either to cut their time by 10  
per cent or to drop bookings  
altogether.

There are those in Britain  
who have felt all along that it  
would come to this. They have  
watched and said little as TV  
was branded a dangerous  
monster; as educationists raved  
against the small square box  
that was sapping the spirit of  
the nation, and sending  
children wan and blear-eyed  
to school, their heads full of  
murder and mayhem.

By a curious paradox,  
Britain's television broadcasts  
to schools have been from the  
first a model of non-habit-  
forming excellence. They are  
regulated by firmly knob-turn-  
ing teachers, and backed by ex-  
planatory B.B.C. pamphlets.  
They are 100 per cent instruc-

ive: a true window on the  
world. They shut down during  
holidays.  
If schools broadcasts are the  
clue to what a brave new era  
of less obsessive TV will be  
like, the whole business looks  
less alarming already.

Year in and year out, people  
have talked about birds  
on BBC radio on Sunday  
afternoons. It is plea-  
santly unattractive fare for  
those soporific hours that  
follow the roast beef and  
two veg.

The next edition of  
"Birds in Britain" is going to  
make a lot of listeners sit up  
with a jerk. The birds are  
taking over from the bird  
watchers.

A blue-fronted Amazon  
parrot named Polly Fenner will  
set things rolling with her  
rendering of "All The Nice  
Girls Love A Sailor."  
Then Loris Durrell of  
Jersey Zoo will be heard  
giving an education lesson in  
Spanish from Ken Smith, the  
zoo superintendent.

BIRD TALK  
Two rather superior Indian  
Hill Mynahs will demonstrate in  
a taped conversation how, un-  
like other talking birds, they  
can manage vowel sounds.

They are "Harry Boy"  
Dineen, winner of last year's  
Brussels Grand Prix d'Honneur  
for clarity of speech, and  
"Charlie Boy" Wiltshire, who  
won first prize for the most  
talented feathered talker at  
Olympia.

Then "Sparkie" Williams, a  
burgeriger now in retirement  
in Bournemouth, will give a  
talk. And to round things off  
a bulldog from Utah, USA, will  
give an impression of a human  
being.



A conference at St. Bride's Church, London, when a plan  
for young Germans to help with the restoration of the old  
Coventry Cathedral was discussed. Work is to be done this  
summer, and material as well as labour is to be provided by  
Germany, who wiped out the cathedral in the infamous  
"Coventry Blitz." From left: Captain N. T. Thura, a sec-  
retary of the Reconstruction Committee; Dr. F. von Kelenburg,  
Herr M. von Mollendorf, an architect; Dr. F. von Jammernstein;  
and the Very Rev. H. C. N. Williams, Provost of Coventry  
Cathedral.—The Times Photograph.

## AT COVENTRY Young Germans to restore old Cathedral

London.  
A group of young Germans are to restore part of  
the old Coventry Cathedral, destroyed by  
German bombers in World War Two.

The German organisation  
Aktion Versöhnung (reconciliation),  
will provide not only the  
labour but also the material.  
Pastor Franz von Ham-  
merstein, one of the organisers,  
introduced the young architect  
set up in the cathedral precincts.  
At a press conference here, he  
is Herr Michael von Moellen-  
dorff.

The shell of the old Cathedral  
stands as a memorial beside the  
new cathedral.

SMALL CANTEN  
The restoration of the vestries  
behind the charred cathedral  
cross, will also provide a small  
canteen, rest room and lounges  
for the international centre being  
set up in the cathedral precincts.  
The Rev. H. C. N. Williams,  
provost of Coventry Cathedral,  
told the press conference that  
Hitler had made Coventry the  
emotional symbol of hatred,  
destruction and vengeance.  
"Everything we have been  
trying to do internationally at  
the cathedral is to take this  
symbol and turn it into the  
constructive symbol of recon-  
ciliation."

Don Beach, owner of the  
Honolulu joint "Don the Beach-  
comber", is now tripping  
around the (colourful, exotic)  
Orient looking for appropriate  
sites on which to establish  
branches.

In Tokyo, he airily said he'd  
be satisfied if he could find a  
spot "within a few hundred  
yards of the Imperial Hotel,"  
and that he'd probably put up  
about U.S.\$200,000 for the ven-  
ture.

He has two chances. For  
\$200,000 in that vicinity, he  
should be able to rent a tele-  
phone booth or some equally  
spacious edifice and set up an  
assembly-line of food and drink  
service for three patrons per  
hour. The other would be to  
go underground—if he can find  
any space between the cavernous  
car parks and the subway  
system.

It will be argued—quite  
reasonably—that as Japan does  
not produce coconuts, why  
couldn't he serve his rum drinks  
in nice Japanese peanut  
shells of which there is ample supply.

On the other hand, he'd have  
a much better chance—and  
would be providing a highly  
novel attraction—if he served  
the drinks from shrunken Per-  
uvian skulls. After downsizing  
the first one, the average customer  
would probably enter into the  
spirit of things and feel like a  
genuine headhunter on a jungle-  
juice jag.

I see that Don is going to  
have a floating restaurant in  
Hongkong, but the question of  
finding space was not insuper-  
able. The downtown Cricket  
Club would have been an ad-  
mirable site for a non-floating  
restaurant. There is sufficient  
acreage to start a coconut  
plantation for supplying home-  
grown drinking cups.

RUM-DRINKERS  
Instead of having to endure  
the boring sight of people at  
the wicket, the citizens would  
be dazzled by the gaily garbed  
tourists gazing rum beneath  
the waving fronds of the palms.  
Barbed wire could be daintily  
interwoven into the present  
cast-iron fence to prevent  
enthusiastic tailors from  
rushing in and measuring  
customers as they slide under  
the tables after the first half-  
dozen noggin.

I hope now that Don has  
decided on his floating restau-  
rant the demand for his drinks  
doesn't upset the delicate  
balance of the coconut market  
hereabouts.

There is no truth in reports  
that "Dirty Dick" will be  
opening branches in the Far  
East as the management  
there are obviously enough dirty  
spots here already.

TELEVISION  
5 pm. Children's "Talent  
Show"—Produced by John Dow.  
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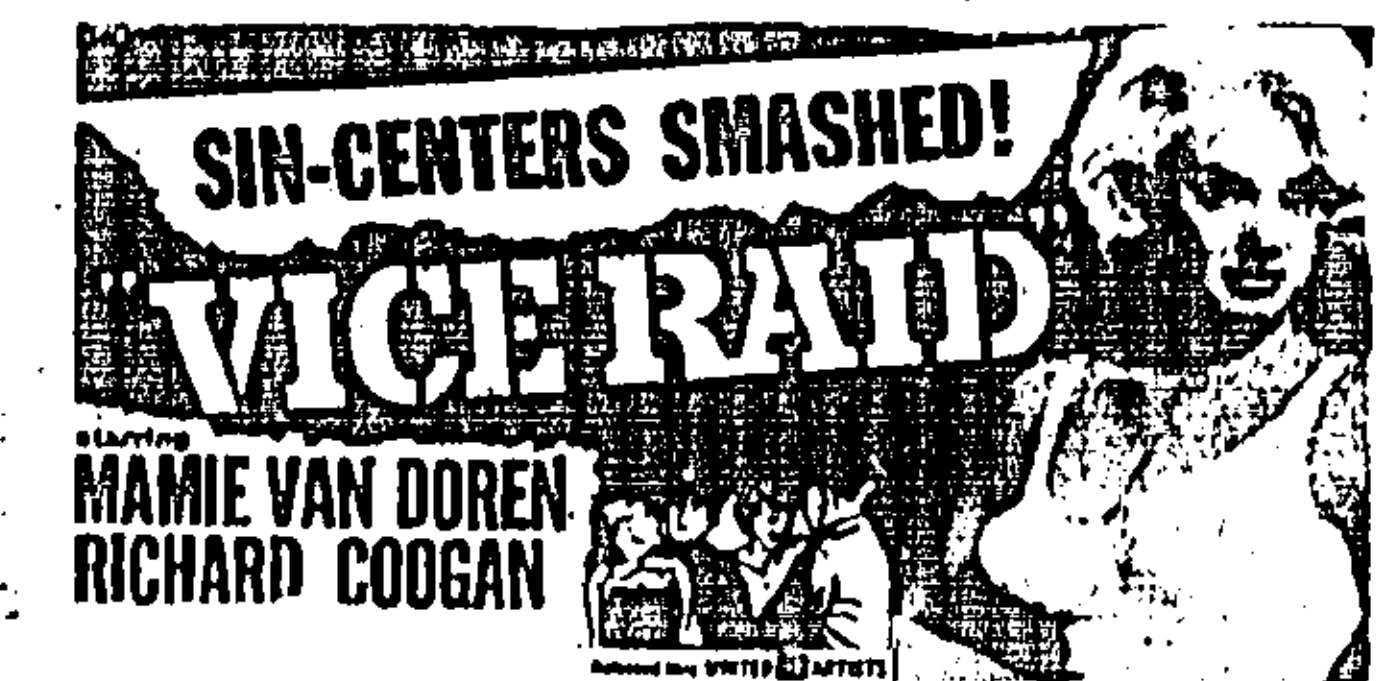
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# Peer seeks govt control of 'harmful' news

London, May 9. A Conservative Peer, Lord Birdwood, asked in the House of Lords today if it was possible in any way to control or influence the publication in Britain of material inimical to the defence of the free world.

Lord Mills, Paymaster-General, replying for the government, said that except in the most exceptional circumstances, the government had no wish to limit the freedom of the press.

He added: "Of course, freedom of any kind carries with it the possibility of aberrations from time to time."

"But by and large, I think the press can be expected to handle matters with a full sense of responsibility."

## Some meetings

Lord Birdwood suggested occasional meetings between editors and the Prime Minister and Foreign Secretary.

But Lord Mills said he would not like to comment on the direction in which the press might go.

"On the whole, I think we are very well served by the press," he added.—Reuter.

## Russian demand rejected

Sydney, May 9. The Australian government would refuse to extradite Estonian immigrant, Erwin Viks, despite a new Russian demand, the Sydney "Sun" Canberra correspondent reported today.

The "Sun" correspondent said the Australian Embassy in Moscow had received a copy of a new note from the Soviet government demanding extradition of Viks for alleged war crimes.

On March 23, the Attorney General, Sir Garfield Barwick, said the Federal Government had no legal authority to interfere with the liberty of Viks.

## RULE OF LAW

He said that no extradition treaty existed between Russia and Australia, and Australia had no power to arrest, detain, or surrender any person in Australia except in accordance with the rule of law.

Sir Garfield said that without assuming any guilt on the part of Viks, the government did not condone crimes against humanity.

The government had fully examined the international instruments cited by the Russians in their note.

But legal instruments apart, Australia's right of asylum must prevail, he said.

The "Sun" correspondent said that the government would examine the new note, but it was certain that it would not reverse its stand.—China Mail Special.

## FREAK CASE

# Ulcer—at 3 months!

Toronto, May 9. Three-month-old Ronald Rowland is going into a hospital on Wednesday for treatment of a stomach ulcer.

Dr A. L. Chute, medical superintendent of the hospital, said the baby is probably one of

the youngest patients ever treated at the hospital for the ailment, generally associated with harried executives.

Dr J. E. Knapp, physician for the family of Mr and Mrs Richard Rowland, says the case has doctors puzzled.

Mrs Rowland said before Ronald was born, the family had been having legal difficulties in connection with the purchase of a home and this may have created a nervous condition in the infant.—AP.

## 'Ready at any suitable time'

London, May 9. A Labour Member, Mr Albert Roberts, today urged the Prime Minister in the House of Commons to propose a heads of state meeting between the United States, Russia, China and Britain "to allay the sense of insecurity throughout the world."

Mr Harold Macmillan replied: "As I stated on Feb. 7, the three western powers issued a statement in Paris after the failure of the Summit Conference stating that they were ready to take part in negotiations at any suitable time in the future."

"That remains our policy."—Reuter.

## AT GUILDFORD

# Royalty attending Cathedral rites

London, May 9. The Queen, the Duke of Edinburgh, Princess Margaret and Mr Antony Armstrong-Jones will all attend the consecration of the new Anglican Cathedral at Guildford, thirty miles southwest of here next week, it is announced.

## Now free to wed Bacall

New York, May 9. Actor Jason Roberts won freedom on Tuesday to marry actress Lauren Bacall.

Roberts' former wife, Mrs Rachel Roberts, dropped a marital suit here after obtaining a divorce in Mexico about two weeks ago.

Mrs Roberts originally sued for divorce or separation here, charging that her husband had committed adultery with Miss Bacall. Roberts denied the charge but said he planned to marry Miss Bacall.

The actor has starred in such Broadway productions as "Toys in the Attic" and "Long Day's Journey into the Night."

Miss Bacall is the widow of actor Humphrey Bogart.—AP.

## Nationality by decree

Amman, May 9. King Hussein will confer Jordanian nationality by decree on his fiancée, Antoinette Avril Gardiner, it was learned here today.

Miss Gardiner, a British officer's daughter who was converted to Islam last month, has taken the Arabic name "Mona Al Hussein."—AFP.

## 'Too difficult' to keep his tower

Edinburgh, May 9. Lord Elphinstone, a first cousin of the Queen, has decided to sell his 16th century property Carberry Tower, it is announced.

The 47-year-old Peer inherited the house near here from his mother, a sister of Queen Mother Elizabeth.

He said at his home in Perthshire that he was selling Carberry Tower and its 250 acres of park and woodland because he found it "too difficult to keep."

Members of the Royal family have often visited the house.—China Mail Special.

## NO DEBATE

# Request out of order

London, May 9. An attempt by a Labour Member, Mr Richard Marsh, to secure an emergency debate in the House of Commons on public security failed today.

His demand arose out of the conviction last week of George Blake, former Foreign Office employee, on a charge of spying for Russia.

The speaker (chairman), Sir Harry Hylton-Foster, ruled Mr Marsh's request out of order, but in written answers to questions, Mr Harold Macmillan the Prime Minister, rejected a suggestion that he should appoint a Parliamentary Secretary to the Foreign Office to deal with security.

## NO ACTION

Mr Marsh asked what disciplinary action he had taken following the Blake case.

Mr Macmillan replied: "None. I do not necessarily accept the implication in the question that disciplinary action should be called for."

"But, as I said in my statement on May 4, I am reviewing all the circumstances with very great care to see whether there are any possible further measures which could be taken to protect this country from treachery of this kind."—Reuter.

## Georgian style 'Cha Cha'

Moscow, May 9. The Russians are cracking down on homo brewers.

Stiff penalties have been ordered in the Russian Federation—the largest of the Soviet republics—for anyone caught brewing alcoholic drinks at home or selling it.

They face prison terms up to three years, fines of 300 rubles and possible confiscation of property. Buyers can be fined 50 rubles.

## 'CHA CHA'

Home brewing—especially of the "Cha Cha" (a Georgian style vodka) and "Braga" (a beer-like drink) — became widespread after the government boosted the price of legal vodka to discourage drunkenness.

A litre of vodka, slightly more than a pint, costs 3 rubles 7 kopeks. The average monthly wage of a skilled factory worker is between 80 and 100 rubles.—AP.

## Russian art acquired

London, May 9. The Fitzwilliam Museum at Cambridge acquired 12 lithographs by contemporary Soviet artists from a London gallery giving them their first Western European exhibition, it was announced.

It is the first art gallery in Britain to acquire the works of contemporary Russian artists.

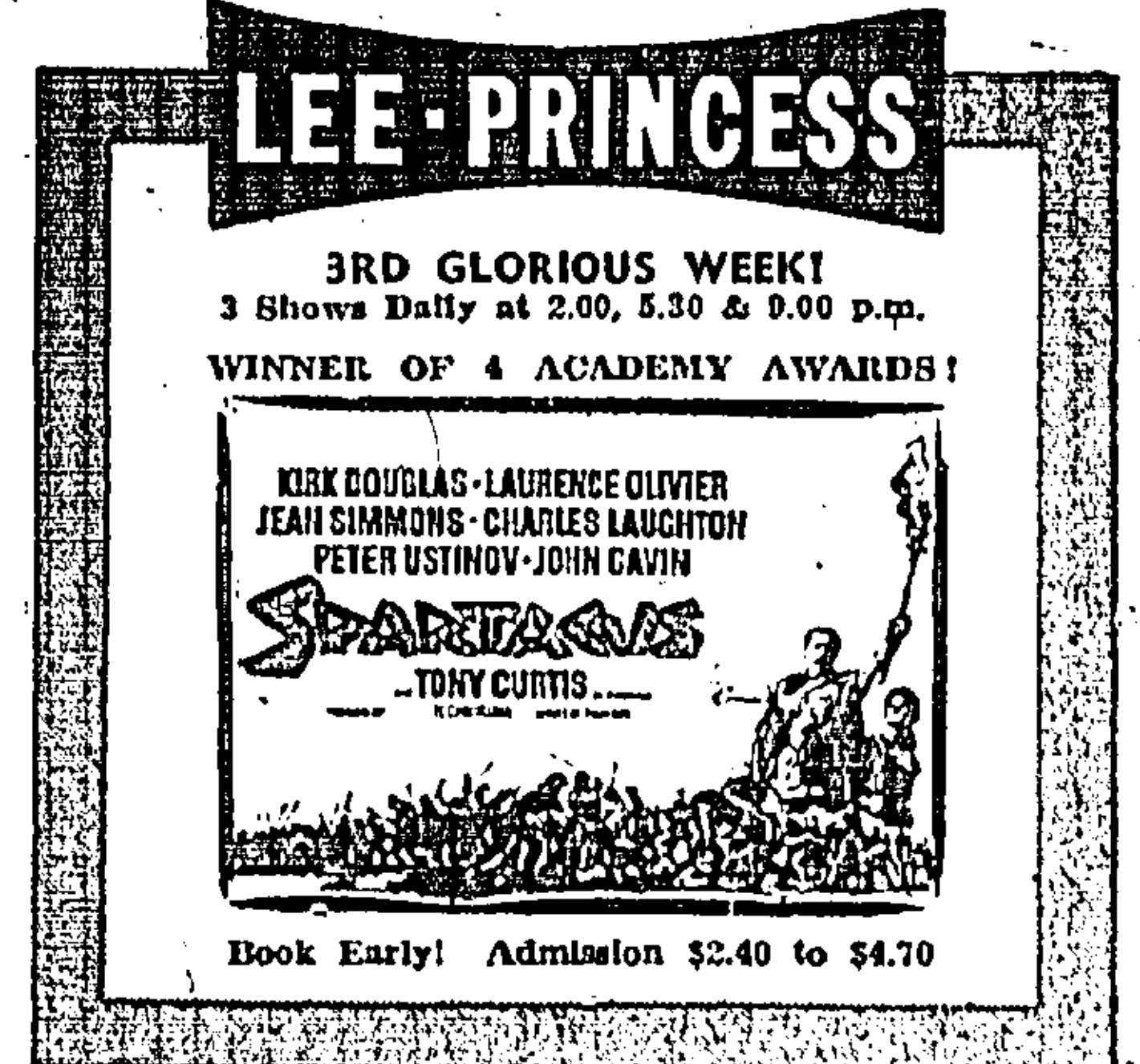
The exhibition—at the Grosvenor Gallery—consists of the work of 27 Soviet artists at the Leningrad experimental graphics laboratory.

It is the first time they have been exhibited and offered for sale in Western Europe.—China Mail Special.

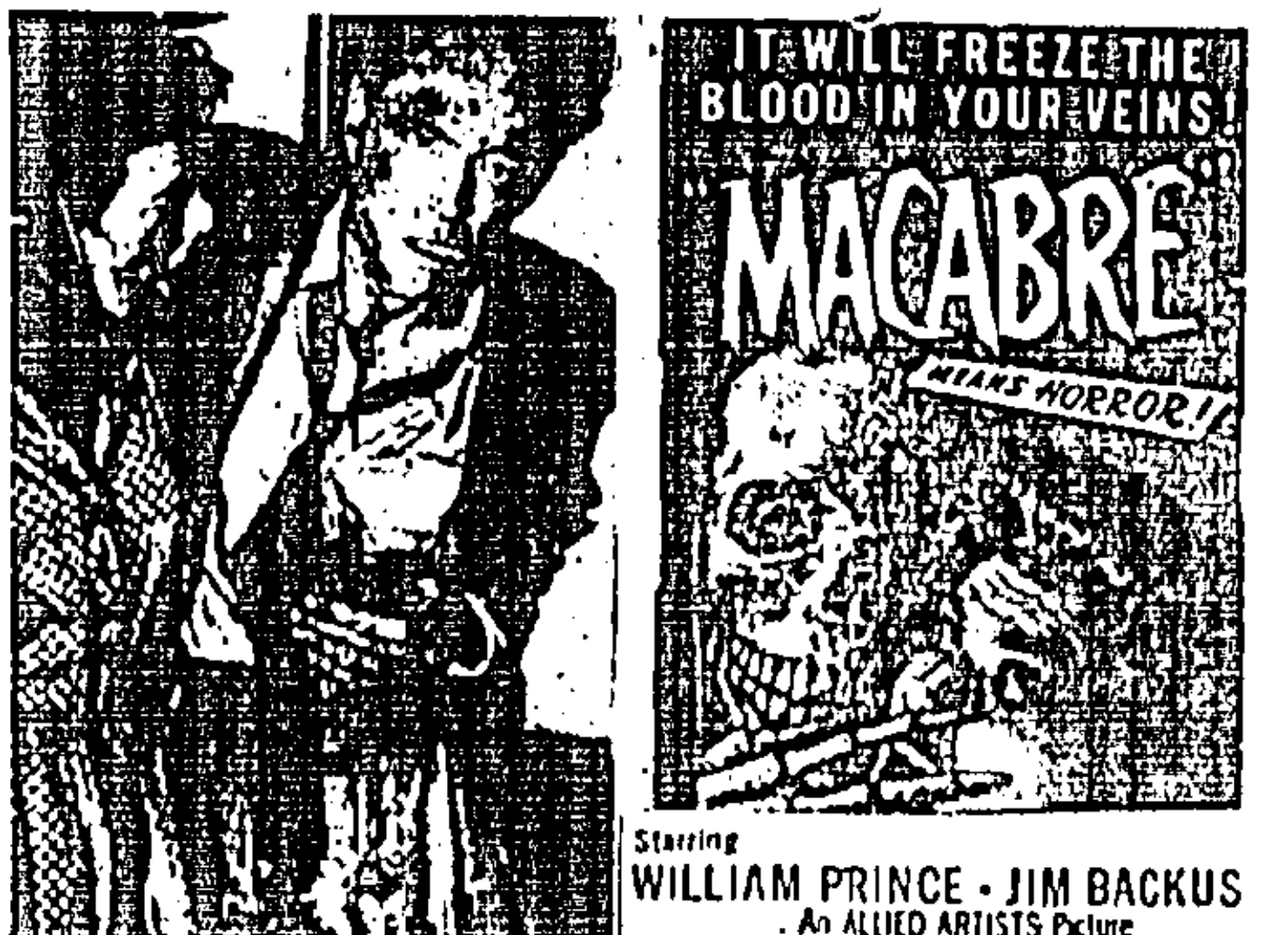
## Stores make record profit

London, May 9. Marks and Spencers who have 237 stores throughout Britain announced a record profit of nearly £10,300,000, a higher dividend and a free share dividend for its 93,000 shareholders.

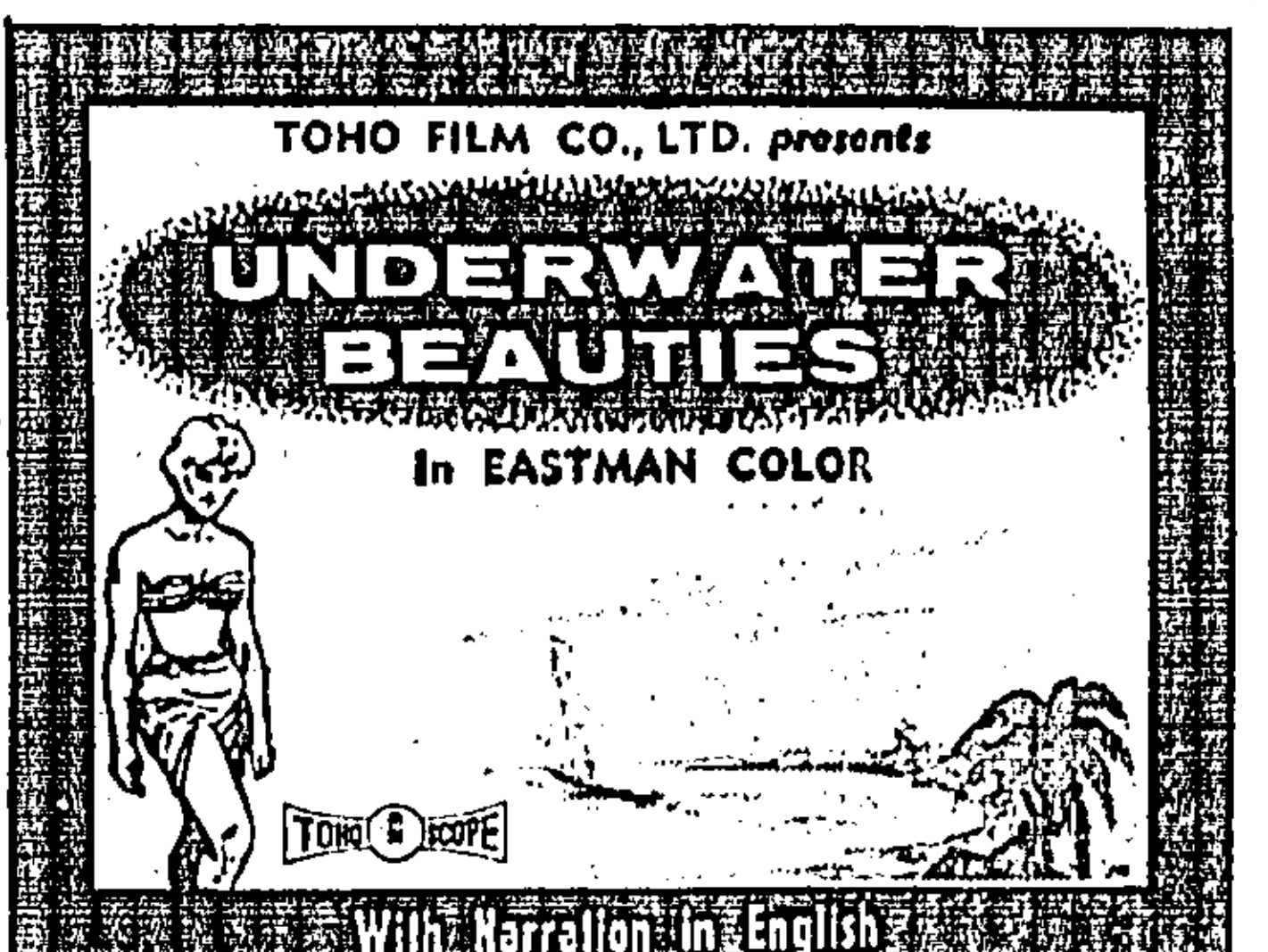
Net profit after tax and expenses in the year ending on March 31 was about £1,300,000 more than in the previous year.—China Mail Special.



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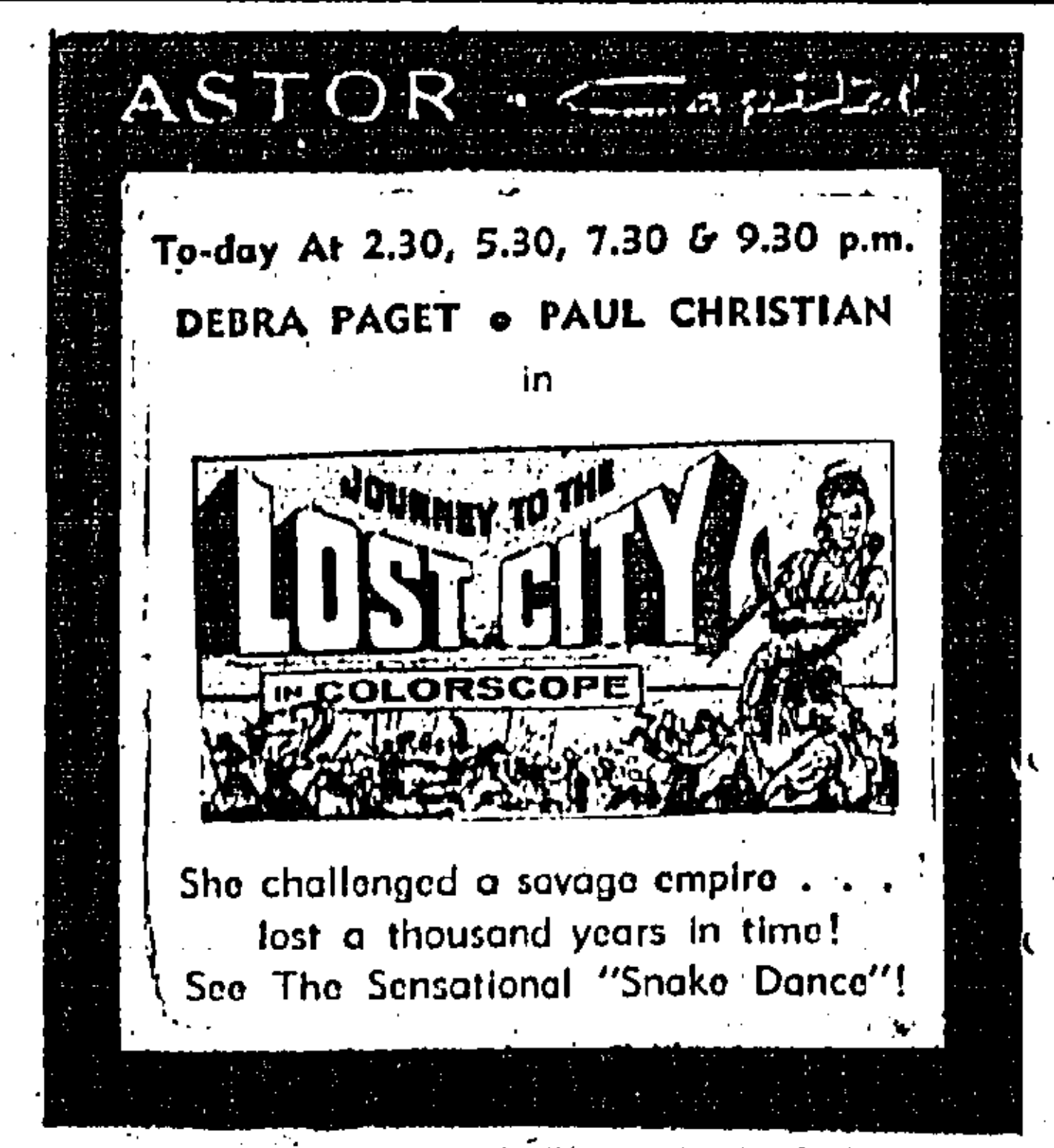
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# WOMANSENSE

## SHIRLEY

## LORD

NOTHING exasperates a man more than a woman who dithers. Man never dithers. He may deliberate, reflect or ponder, of course, but don't ever make the mistake that what looks like a genuine old dither to you, is a dither to him.

How often do you get into a dither?

He just wouldn't accept it.

Before I sound sarcastic, I must admit that women very often are not clever at clocking their moments of indecision.

In fact some seem to revel in them and think when dithering away they are being delightfully feminine and irresistible.

But I am not of this school of thought.

### Unfair

I do think, however, it's very unfair that when a woman faced with two alternatives, says "I'll think about it," it's taken as a typical sign of feminine weakness.

Yet when a man says the same thing more often than not it's accepted with respect and appreciation of his selective qualities.

In my opinion the only time a woman takes longer than a man to make up her mind, is when she's buying clothes and shoes—and why hurry such a pleasure?

We all know about the men who rush in a shop and come out five minutes later with a complete wardrobe (wrapped)—but then there's little fun even today for most men when buying clothes. Like meat and two veg, there are only a limited number of ways of serving them up.

When I was setting out into the world I had two pieces of contradictory advice given to me by my parents.

First my father said, "If you're offered the job, never say



"could I let you know tomorrow?"

Your prospective employer will then know you have an irrational quality and anything you may have said to impress during the interview will be lost.

"Accept at once if the terms are good. Decline, if otherwise, but above all, don't waste anybody's time."

### 'Don't jump'

MY mother, on the other hand, took me to one side quietly when papa wasn't looking to say, "Don't jump to the first offer you get. You'll be appreciated all the more if you say you'd like to think things over."

With these two invaluable pieces of wisdom to guide me on the road to success it is no wonder that I have gone through life to this day with a positive aversion to the interview.

Dithering increases, of course, when one is in love. Hours are spent deciding important issues like "Shall I phone or shant

I? Shall I go back to put on a spot more Femine or leave the atmosphere bath-clean and smell simply of Pears soap? Will it help if I mention that Tom rang to ask me out, too, or not?"

In marriage, of course, dithering takes on another aspect.

As Lady Barnett said to me the other evening: "I do think making up one's mind depends to a great extent on your husband."

"I always hate to make up my mind, but after 20 years of marriage to a lawyer I've trained myself to do it."

She went on: "We must both know so many women with too much time on their hands and dithering fills it as well as anything else."

"I remember once staying with some sweet people and we were all invited out to meet an interesting artist. At the last moment our hostess said she couldn't possibly come. As we all knew, she said, she had to leave for the country the next day and simply had to pack."

Packing 24 hours in advance, of course, isn't unheard of—

## DISCOVERED: THE DRESS DESIGNER FROM THE CHORUS

MATINEES at the Drury Lane Theatre have a special significance these days, for a new dressmaking genius has been discovered in the chorus and backstage on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons queues of happy actresses wait for their fittings.

But this is no useful little amateur who will run something up for an extra cup of stage door tea. It is, in fact, 26-year-old Ronald Yerrill, a dancer in My Fair Lady.

Next Monday night at the big party to celebrate the show's fourth birthday (and incidentally the Lane's longest run ever) Anne Rogers, the leading lady, will wear one of Ronny's special creations.

"It's gorgeous," she told me. "Ronny's been making my clothes—and lots—for six months now and I think he's very talented." His colour sense is sensational. This new dress is actually white with pink, but when I move my arms you can see he has lined the sleeves with a delicious wild pink. My picture shows how she looks in it while Ronald Yerrill looks on.

Ronny, I discovered, has already opened a small boutique with an Italian friend in Forest Hill called Genna di Roma, and business is good. He gets many ideas as he dances in the show.

But which career does Ronny really want to follow? "More than anything else I want to be a couturier," he said. Judging by the clothes I've seen he might well make it.

How many men

## THE MEN WHO COUNT THE MOST...

HAVE you ever thought of the men in your life you could not possibly do without? I don't mean husbands, faithful or unfaithful boy friends, fathers or sons. Of course, we could not do without any of those... but after that?

the family circle do you depend on to make your life smoother? In mine there are three that I'd be desolate without.

FIRST, Edward, my hairdresser, who not only on his good days makes my hair look imperishable, but also brightens my life with improbable, but giggle stories.

SECOND, "the man—who comes-to-dinner"—to serve it for 2 p.m. an evening, Williams, the hired butler. He always stays, I feel till long past his bedtime, washing up and putting away. Since Williams, there has been no disrupted conversation in the dining room—when I used to have to pop up and down with second helpings and parties are serene!

THIRD, Samson Andrews. I am an ardent fan and without him my small amount of TV viewing would be bleaker than snow in June.

(London Express Service).

## JACOBY on BRIDGE

THE bidding in the box is an excellent example of good part score competition. East has a proper opening bid, but sees no reason to rebid after his partner's one heart response. South responds with one spade. He sees no reason to sell out cheaply. Eventually, East and West get to three diamonds which they can make and North goes to three spades. Neither East or West can afford to double and South

### CARD SENSE

Q—The bidding has been:

North East South West  
1♥ Pass 2♠ Pass  
2NT Pass 3♦ Pass  
3NT Pass ?

You, South, hold:

♠AKQJ1098 ♣AK85 ♣KQ

What do you do?

A—Bid six spades. Your partner has a minimum of some sort, but he has a balanced type hand and very likely will produce the ace of clubs as one of his high cards. In any case you want to gamble for something worthwhile.

### TODAY'S QUESTION

You hold this same hand and respond two spades to your partner's one diamond opening. He rebids three diamonds. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow

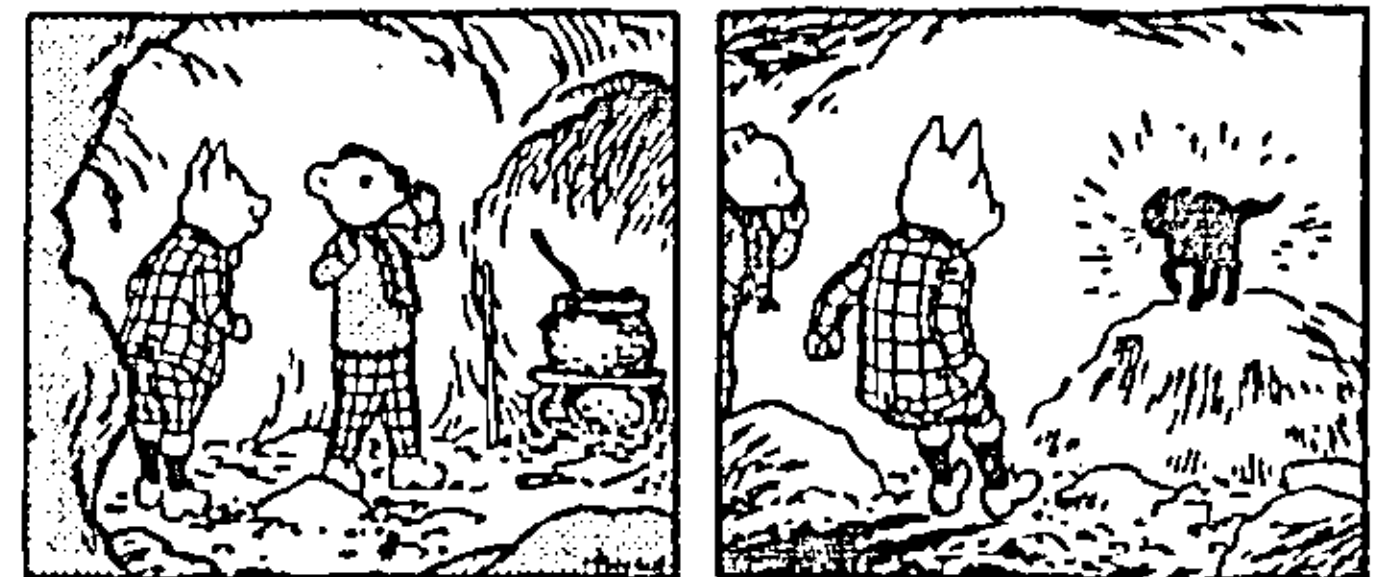
NORTH 85			
♠A92	♠A92	♠A92	♠A92
♥74	♥74	♥74	♥74
♦J3	♦J3	♦J3	♦J3
♣A8842	♣A8842	♣A8842	♣A8842
WEST EAST			
♠KQ7	♠KQ7	♠KQ7	♠KQ7
♥QJ53	♥QJ53	♥QJ53	♥QJ53
♦10082	♦10082	♦10082	♦10082
♣Q10	♣Q10	♣Q10	♣Q10
SOUTH (D)			
♠J10854	♠J10854	♠J10854	♠J10854
♥AK10	♥AK10	♥AK10	♥AK10
♦976	♦976	♦976	♦976
♣75	♣75	♣75	♣75
No one vulnerable			
South West North East	South West North East	South West North East	South West North East
Pass Pass Pass Pass	Pass Pass Pass Pass	Pass Pass Pass Pass	Pass Pass Pass Pass
1♠ 2♠ 2♠ 3♠	1♠ 2♠ 2♠ 3♠	1♠ 2♠ 2♠ 3♠	1♠ 2♠ 2♠ 3♠
Pass Pass Pass Pass	Pass Pass Pass Pass	Pass Pass Pass Pass	Pass Pass Pass Pass
Opening lead—♦10	Opening lead—♦10	Opening lead—♦10	Opening lead—♦10

goes down one trick for a loss of 60 points.

At the other table, East decided that he did not like the idea of raising hearts with three small and went to one no-trump. West's best bid would have been three diamonds and if he had made that bid the chances are that East would have passed and come out smiling, but West was in a bidding mood and jumped right to three no-trump.

The choice was unfortunate. South opened a spade and when the smoke of battle had cleared away East had lost four spades, two hearts and one club for minus 150 and a net loss to his team of 200 points, since his partners had gone minus 50 at the other table.

## Rupert and Gwyneth—10



Podgy seems more and more uneasy as he wanders on. "D'you know, I'm feeling a bit odd," he says. "I wish I hadn't eaten that little cookie thing." As they go forward they find more rough cooking pots and ashes. "The owner must be somewhere here, we

saw her come in," says Rupert, but when he calls out the only answer is a loud hiss as a black cat suddenly appears on a rock. With its fur on and the creature glares at Podgy and seems to glow with excitement. Poor Podgy nearly topples back in fright.

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## STORIES FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

### Merlin's Magic

—It Turns The Park Into An African Jungle—

By MAX TRELL

KNARF and Hanid, the Shadow Children with the Turned-About Names, were sitting on a bench in the park when all at once Knarf, who had spent the past several minutes looking around at the

clumps of trees, said quietly: "I wish this park were in the middle of Africa."

Hanid smiled at her brother. He sometimes said strange things. In fact, now that she thought about it, he almost always said strange things.

"Because," Knarf went on, "if this park were in the middle of Africa, instead of being in the middle of the city, we'd be sitting in the middle of a jungle. There'd be lions and tigers and elephants and monkeys all around us."

"I'm glad there aren't," said Hanid.

### Looking for Africa

At that moment who should come along but Mr Merlin, the Magnificent Magician. He was wearing rough brown clothes, heavy walking shoes, and on his head he had a cork helmet with netting in the back to keep off the sun and the mosquitoes.

"Good morning, kids," Mr Merlin said. Then he looked around in a puzzled way as if he had lost something. Hanid was so sure that he had lost something that she asked him what it was and whether she and Knarf couldn't help him find it.

"Well," said Mr Merlin after he had dropped to his knees and peered under the bench and then stood up again, "maybe you kids can. I'm looking for Africa."

"Africa?" shouted Knarf and Hanid.

### Found it

"It was here a minute ago," said Mr Merlin without showing the least sign of excitement.

"But Mr Merlin," said Hanid, "this is only a park! Africa is far, far away!"

"It was here a minute ago, yes, just about a minute ago," Mr Merlin kept repeating without paying any attention to Hanid.

"Ah, there it is!" he suddenly exclaimed in a joyful voice. "I knew it was right around here!"

He pointed to the clumps of trees clustered around the lake a short distance away.

"But," started Hanid again. Then she clapped her hand to her mouth in astonishment.

As for Knarf, he was dancing and shouting.

"It's the jungle!"

"Of course," said Mr Merlin, the Magnificent Magician.

### Birds changed, too!

Hanid rubbed her eyes. They were the regular old trees all right, only now they looked different. Something had happened to their leaves. They seemed to have grown into all sorts of curious shapes—round, long, broad, pointed and even without any shape at all, like moss.

As for the Sparrows and Robins and the other every-day-in-the-week birds that lived in the park, Hanid saw that they had all become Parrots and Parakeets and other strange and beautiful birds with blue and green and red feathers who stared at her and let out cries such as she had never heard before.

### Hurried after them

Meanwhile, Knarf and Mr Merlin were already walking toward the African jungle.

"Come along, dear," Mr Merlin was calling back to Hanid.

Hanid noticed that her brother Knarf was now wearing the same kind of jungle clothes worn by Mr Merlin, with the same high walking shoes and the cork helmet with the netting in the back to keep off the sun and the mosquitoes. She then saw that she was also wearing jungle clothes!

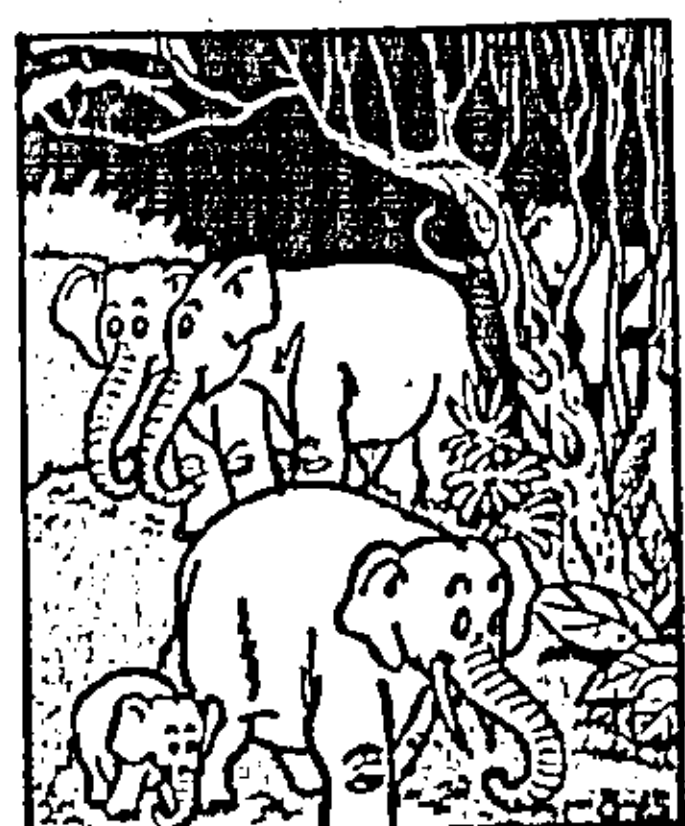
"Now how did I get all this?" she asked herself as she hurried after Knarf and Mr Merlin.

Knarf and Mr Merlin had stopped just inside the jungle. "This is an orchid, my boy," Mr Merlin was saying as he pointed half-way up one of the trees.

"I'd like to pick it and bring it home," Knarf said.

"No time for that," said Mr Merlin.

It was a beautiful white blossom. Hanid was also sorry that they couldn't pick it. She stood for a moment peering up at it and wondering that a flower could grow up in the middle of



A whole herd of Elephants went through the jungle.

a tree like that instead of growing on the ground.

Then she heard a loud tramping sound coming from the jungle and Mr Merlin said that that was why they had to hurry. A whole herd was coming.

"We'd better get out of the way, kids!" he shouted.

He pulled them over to one side behind a large vine that twined around half a dozen trees and formed a thick curtain of leaves. The noise grew louder.

They were none too soon. Out came the Elephants—ten, 15, 20 of them—enormous ones, middle-sized ones and baby ones! They tramped so hard that the whole jungle shook. But finally they marched away without even seeing them.

"Look!" Hanid cried, pointing to a beautiful white flower on the ground. The orchid fell down! She picked it up.

### Wants to keep it

"May I keep it, Mr Merlin?" she asked.

"Certainly," said Mr Merlin. "But it won't last. You'll see."

Then they all left the jungle. When they reached home they were all dressed in their regular clothes again. And when Hanid rushed to get the orchid in water, she discovered that it was only a daisy.

Even the "jungle" disappeared. Knarf and Hanid never could find it again—and Mr Merlin looked surprised, and winked.

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## LADY LUCK

YOUR CHINA MAIL HOROSCOPE

WEDNESDAY, MAY 10

**AQUARIUS** (January 21-February 19): Don't resist your partner's attempts to put something by for the future, but be glad that at least one of you is provident.

**PISCES** (February 20-March 20): Drawing on your past experience may give you a clue to the solution of a current problem.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19): This promises to be a nostalgic day when you will dwell on the pleasant memories of a time gone by.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20): Don't make premature arrangements for a move abroad. It is still only a remote possibility.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 21): Before rejecting a new opportunity, remember the ones you let slip by in the past.

**CANCER** (June 22-July 21): A happy weekend away from town will confirm your love of country life.

**LEO** (July 22-August 21): A problem you have been avoiding should be tackled soon, as it will become increasingly hard to deal with it later.

**VIRGO** (August 22-September 22): Keep your domestic problems in their proper place, and don't try to solve them during working hours.

**LIBRA** (September 23-October 22): Some difficulties in connection with travel accommodation will be cleared up in good time for your holiday.

**SCORPIO** (October 23-November 21): A business matter may have to be settled on a basis of compromise, and you will have to be satisfied with the concessions made to you.


**SAGITTARIUS** (November 22-December 21): Your idea for increasing output in your department may be of special interest to the management just now.

**CAPRICORN** (December 22-January 20): Discouraging news from a friend abroad will confirm your decision to stay where you are.

**YOUR LUCKY CARD:** If this is your birthday, your lucky card, no matter what game you may be playing, ought to be the NINE of HEARTS.



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### THE HONG KONG AMATEUR BOXING ASSOCIATION

announces:—

A Charity Boxing Tournament is to be held at Southern Stadium To-morrow evening, proceeds from which are to be donated to the Hong Kong Sea School. Boxing will commence at 8 p.m.

Seats are available in advance at China Fleet Club or at the Southern Stadium on the night — prices \$10, \$5 and \$1.20.

The "cream" of Army, Navy and local boxers will be taking part so first-class entertainment is guaranteed.

**COME ALONG AND SUPPORT YOUR  
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Although the work of the Hong Kong Anti-Tuberculosis Association is planned to meet the needs of this particular community, it is also part of the universal effort to eradicate tuberculosis. Scientists, doctors and others specializing in the treatment of tuberculosis throughout the world have made great discoveries during the last few years and the fruits of their labours are being made available to sufferers of this disease here in Hong Kong who seek the aid of the Hong Kong Anti-Tuberculosis Association.

The future development and extension of the work of the Association depends very largely upon the Annual Appeal for funds and it is good to remember that every donation represents an investment in health protection for our children and for ourselves.

Cheques should be crossed and addressed to:  
"The Hong Kong Anti-Tuberculosis Association"  
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# Australians in another drawn match

## Mervyn Burden bowls Hants to thrilling 18-run victory

London, May 9.  
Mervyn Burden, the Hampshire off-spinner, bowled his side to an 18-run win over Somerset today in the County Cricket Championship. Burden took 12 wickets for 108 runs in the match, and his four for 70 in Somerset's second innings were all taken in a spell of seven overs in which he conceded only one run.

A last-wicket stand of 40 in 28 minutes by Mike Latham (21 not out) and Brian Langford (30) was broken just in time to enable Hampshire to gain their thrilling victory.

Accepting the challenge of getting 214 runs in 150 minutes to beat Warwickshire, Gloucestershire reached their target with four wickets in hand and three minutes of extra time left. Martin Young, 50 in 70 minutes, and Ron Nicholls, 60 in 85 minutes, laid the basis of victory.

England batsman Mike Smith was again in sparkling form for

Warwickshire, hitting 87 and assisting Bill Stewart (81) in a third-wicket stand of 111.

Lancashire just failed to force victory over Glamorgan. Setting their rivals to get 107 to win in 145 minutes, they dismissed six batsmen for 53, but were hauled by a stubborn back-to-the-wall defence by the tail-enders.

Pace bowler Brian Statham, who took three wickets for 23 runs, was mainly responsible for the Glamorgan collapse. Among his victims was Alan Watkins, who was out for two "ducks" in the match for the first time in 22 years' first-class cricket.

## CHESS MATCH ON FRIDAY

A friendly chess match of five boards between a Hongkong International team and a Chinese team will be played on Friday at King's College, starting at 7 p.m.

The Hongkong International team will consist of M. A. Haigh, V. Rodinoff, E. Krouk, J. G. Rees, all of whom figured prominently in the recent Colony Chess Open Championships. The Chinese team will be represented by Ko Wing-kwong, To Yu-lau, Lai Sai-chi, Sin Kuen and Ko Chi. The judge for this match will be R. L. Hobson. A return fixture has been arranged for Friday, May 19, at the same venue.

An attractive cup to be known as the Leung Yau Cup has been donated by Leung Yau Industrial Factory for the series. This is the first of a series of friendly matches being arranged by the Hongkong Chess Association, who were recently successful in obtaining affiliation to the Federation International Des Echecs, which governs world chess. The next match, a home-and-away affair, to be played in the near future will be against the Macao Chess Club.

The Hongkong Chess Association has also arranged a series of 10 chess lectures for students at King's College, commencing this Saturday, at 1.15 p.m. These lectures, to be given by H. Kluge, will cover the rudiments of chess from the elementary stage to more advanced play. The Association plans to extend the lectures to other interested schools.

## Sports Diary

**TODAY**  
Bowls  
2nd Division: KCC v HKCC.

**Tennis**  
Men's "C" Division-Section 1: KCC (1) v CRC (2), LAC v CIG (1), Stanley C v KCC (2).  
Urban S. C. (2) v KCC.  
Section 2: KCC v KCC, PORC v KCC (1), IRC v SCAA, PRC v CCG (1).  
Mixed "A" Division: SCAA v CRC, CCG v LAC.

**Soccer**  
1st Division: South China v Sing Tao (CH), KMD v AFS (Police) both matches at 5.30 p.m.  
Reserve Division: South China v Sing Tao (CH) 4 p.m.

**TOMORROW**  
Bowls  
HKABA Charity Tournament: Royal Navy v Hongkong, Southern Playground, 9 p.m.  
Bowls  
1st Division: Rectro "W" v Rectro "B", 5.30 p.m.  
Soccer  
1st Division: Caroline Hill v Happy Valley (Club), Army v Tung Wah (Police) both matches at 5.30 p.m.  
Reserve Division: Caroline Hill v Happy Valley (Club), Tung Wah v Police (Police) at 4 p.m.

**Tennis**  
Men's "D" Division-Section 1: KCC (2) v Urban S, Stanley v KCC (1), Stanley Club v KCC (1), CIG (2) v SCAA.

Section 2: RAF v CRC (1), KCC v CCG, PRC v CRC, KCC v Urban S.

## Russian official urges acceptance of Chinese, N. Korean Olympic entries

Moscow, May 9.  
Pichel Pesliak, vice-president of the Soviet Union's Olympic Committee today urged the coming International Olympic Committee meeting in Athens to accept China and North Korea as Olympic competitors in the 1964 Games in Tokyo.

In an article in Izvestia, the Soviet daily, Pesliak went on to criticise Olympic Committee president Avery Brundage for supporting a reduction in the number of Olympic sports from 16 to 22.

"The directors of the International Olympic Committee are endorsing an anti-Olympic attitude and are striving to use the Olympics for reactionary ends," Pesliak said. "Is it not time, for example, for the Olympic Committee to accept China and North Korea for the Olympic Games and to exclude the representative of Chiang

## Ambassadors of Football contest

Following are the standings in the Ambassadors of Football contest after yesterday's voting:

SENIOR TEAM		JUNIOR TEAM	
Ho Cheung-yau (SCAA)	1,101	Wong Sze-keung (Wah Yan)	1,008
Kung Wah-Kit (Police)	749	Tse Kam-kit (Salisbury)	801
Wong Kwan-wai (Happy Valley)	598	Chen Kwei-wing (LA Salle)	607
Wong Chi-keung (SCAA)	598	Chen Pui-ling (LA Salle)	607
Lau Kin-chung (SCAA)	598	Chen Yui-wan (Salisbury)	603
Ho Pei-keung (Tung Wah)	597	Yu Chiu-hong (Queen's)	413
Yiu Cheuk-yin (Tung Wah)	597	Lau Kwok-chun (Ising China)	351
Mak Wing-lung (Police)	112	Chen Yu-wan (Elizabeth)	316
Mok Chun-wai (SCAA)	111	Thane Cheuk-wai (Clementi)	309
Wong Shu-wo (Happy Valley)	105	Hung Chi-suen (St. Louis)	262
Chow Shiu-hung (KMB)	73	Cheung Kwok-hing (Elizabeth)	245

## A World Championship for thoroughbred horse racing?

New York, May 9.  
A World Thoroughbred Horse Racing Championship to be held in Tokyo at the same time as the 1964 Tokyo Olympic Games is among the projects of two of America's top horse racing specialists who left here today by air for Paris on the first leg of their round-the-world prospecting trip.

## Touring FA team attends reception

London, May 9.  
The English Football Association team which leaves on Thursday to tour the Far East and New Zealand tonight attended a reception given for them at the New Zealand House by the High Commissioner for New Zealand.

Tam Finney, the former Preston and England forward, is the FA team's player-manager. The party of 18 players which includes 13 professionals and five amateurs will play matches in Malaysia, Singapore and Hongkong before going on to New Zealand.—AFP.

## Newmarket Stakes withdrawals

London, May 9.  
Black King and Alltime were both taken out of the Newmarket Stakes, to be run over one and a quarter miles at Newmarket tomorrow, at the final fortnight stage today. These withdrawals leave six declared runners.—Reuter.

Dale Shaffer, Director of the United States Thoroughbred Racing Association and Spencer Drayton, head of the association's research and documentation centre said before leaving that they hope to hold a World Thoroughbred Horse Racing Championship every four years at the Olympic sites.

"This would be" explained Mr. Shaffer "a sort of World Championship which would be held parallel to the Olympics".

"No longer a dream" The two men will contact national organizations, similar to their own, in France, Italy, Britain and the Republic of Ireland. They are expected to extend their trip in July to Japan, Australia, New Zealand and South America.

During their stay in Japan they hope to organize their first big international race for the Tokyo Olympics.

Mr. Shaffer said: "I hope to form an international association, if this succeeds we could then plan an international handicap competition which would be held every year in Europe, the United States and in Australia or Japan."

Explaining that thoroughbred racing today was the most popular sport in the United States with a total of thirty-four million spectators, Mr. Shaffer added: "In our day of jet aviation international racing between the world's leading thoroughbreds is no longer a dream."—AFP.

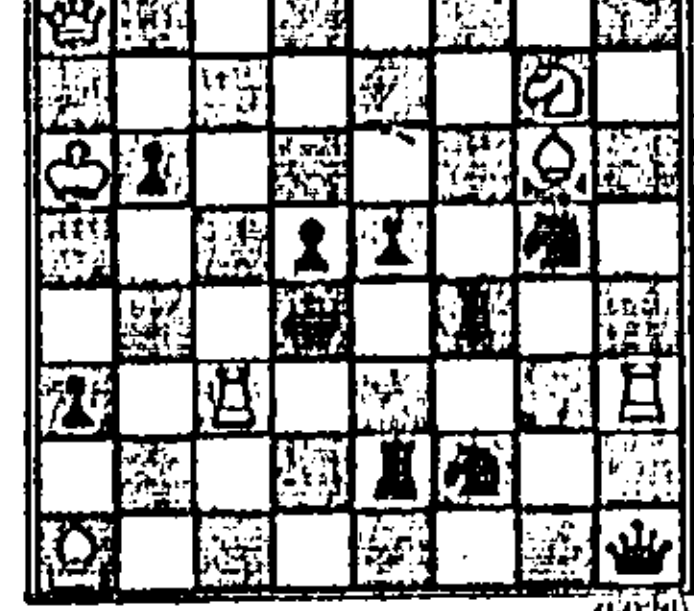
## Oxford-Cambridge hockey team to tour S. Africa

London, May 9.  
A combined Oxford and Cambridge hockey team will leave Britain on July 26 for a six-week tour of South Africa. The team will be known as the Swallows and although the itinerary has not been completely finalised, matches will be played against all the leading South African Universities. There will also be two matches against South African eleven and probably a match against a Combined University side.

The party will consist of 18 members including K. P. Matthews (Clare, Cambridge) as manager.—AFP.

## CHESS

By LEONARD BARDEN



Here is a problem by M. Marbie (LA Strategic, 1959). White to play and mate in two moves.

London Express Service.

## PLEASEING DISPLAYS BY O'NEILL, SIMPSON, BURGE AND DAVIDSON

Bradford, May 9.  
The Australian cricketers, plagued by bad weather at the start of their tour, must have been satisfied in getting the better of their drawn match with Yorkshire, the County champions, which ended here today.

The Australians, after declaring at 256 for three, took eight Yorkshire wickets for 149 by the close.

Satisfaction for the Australians, after the loss of the first day's play through rain, came in the first century of the tour by Norman O'Neill, the sound batting of Bobby Simpson and Peter Burge, and the impressive bowling of Alan Davidson.

## Out of form

Against that was the fact that Neil Harvey looked right out of form with the bat, though he took four catches today—and that the bowling, when Davidson was rested, did not look dangerous.

The Australians looked much happier in the warmer weather today. They resumed at 100 for three, and O'Neill and Burge added 63 in 70 minutes. O'Neill completed his century after three hours 35 minutes, and hit a six and ten fours.

Yorkshire ran into trouble right at the start of their innings. In his second over Davidson had Brian Bolus caught at second slip, and four wickets went for 41. The first three were all caught by Harvey at second slip.

## Partial recovery

Ian Quirk, the left-arm spinner, yorked Phillip Sharpe first ball, and bowled one or two useful overs, but then lost his length completely. A full-toss brought him the wicket of Brian Close, but he remained erratic.

Close and Ray Illingworth, another England all-rounder, brought about a partial Yorkshire recovery, and Illingworth, chiefly at the expense of Quirk, completed the first 50 of the tour against the Australians.

Illingworth was a victim of Simpson's googly, but then the two Wilsons, Don and Vic, made a lively little stand during which Don hit O'Neill's first ball in England for six, and his second for four.

## Scoreboard

### AUSTRALIANS

R. B. Simpson c V. Wilson	72
P. Platt	29
W. Lawry b Platt	29
R. N. Harvey c D. Wilson b Illingworth	2
N. O'Neill not out	100
P. Burge not out	46
Extras	7
Total (for 3 wickets declared)	256

Did not bat: B. Booth, K. Mackay, K. Davidson, W. Grant, I. Quirk and F. Miesien. Fall of wickets: 1-60, 2-75, 3-143.

### Bowling Analysis

	O	M	R	W
Trueman	19	2	47	0
Platt	27	1	61	2
D. Wilson	34	15	58	0
Illingworth	19	5	51	1
Close	10	1	42	0

### YORKSHIRE

W. B. Scott c Harvey b Wilson	20
J. B. Bolus c Harvey b Davidson	0
D. E. V. Padgett c Harvey b Davidson	7
D. B. Close c Harvey b Quirk	28
P. J. Sharpe b Quirk	5
R. Illingworth lbw Simpson	54
J. V. Wilson c Booth b Simpson	14
D. Wilson at Grout b O'Neill lbw F.S. Trueman not out	1
Extras	2
Total (for 8 wickets)	149

Did not bat: J. G. Binks and R. K. Platt. Fall of wickets: 1-7, 2-27, 3-27, 4-41, 5-92, 6-120, 7-141, 8-149.

### Bowling analysis

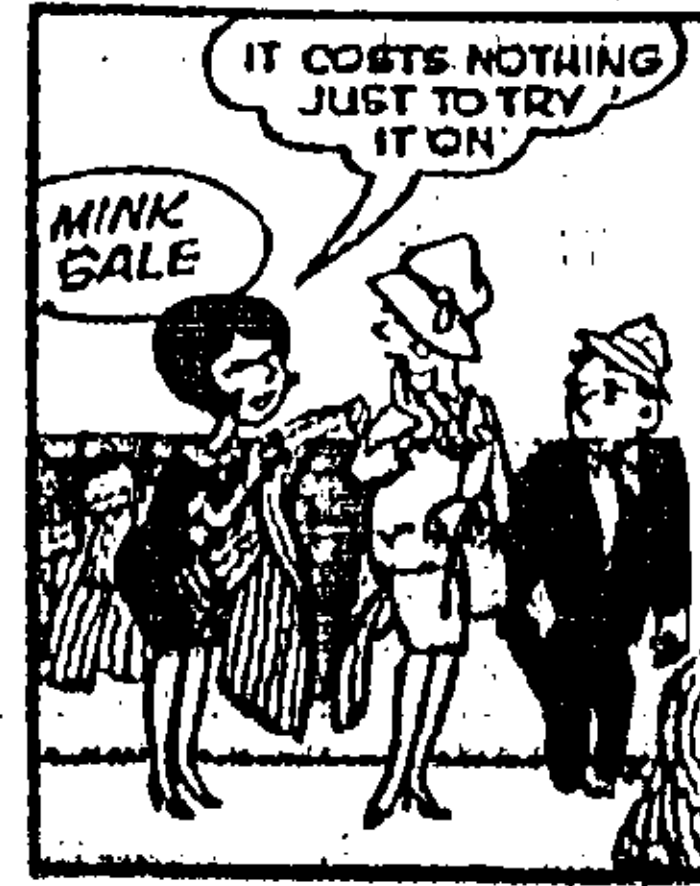
	O	M	R	W
Davidson	12	5	25	2
Miesien	16	8	1	1
Quirk	14	4	40	2
Mackay	10	5	17	0
Simpson	9	4	13	2
O'Neill	1.5	0	18	1

## Crucial chess match adjourned

Moscow, May 9.  
The crucial 20th game of the World Chess Championship match between Mikhail Tal and Mikhail Botvinnik was adjourned here today at the 69th move, Tass reported.

Mikhail Botvinnik, the challenger, needs to win only one more match of the 24-match series to regain the title from Tal, who won the title from him last year.—Reuter.

## TAE GAMBOLS





## SPORTS PICTORIAL

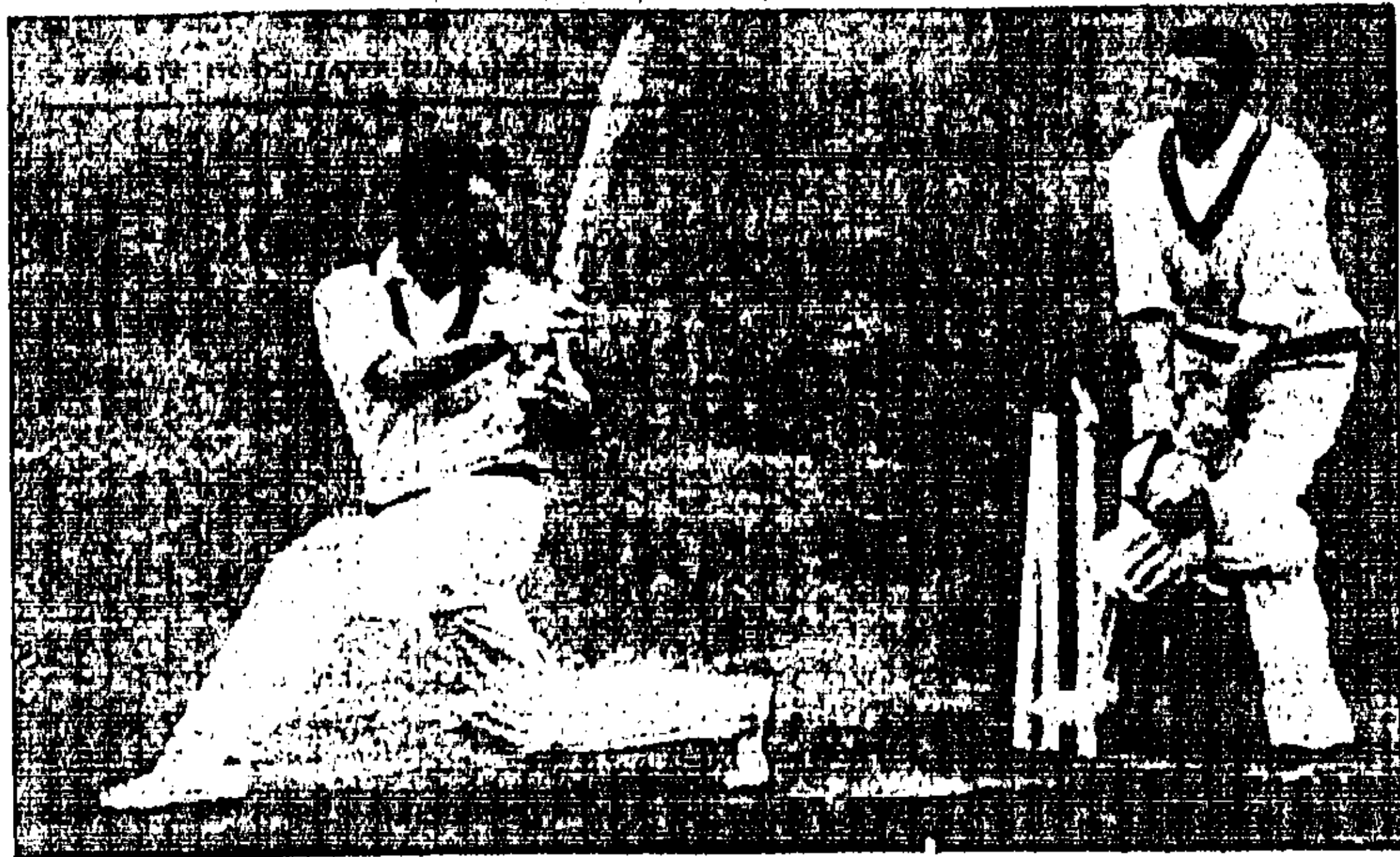


Photo shows Mr P. M. Parson, co-owner of Walbrook, receiving the Hongkong Derby trophy from Mrs R. H. Robertson after the horse's great victory in the event at Happy Valley last Saturday.—China Mail photo.



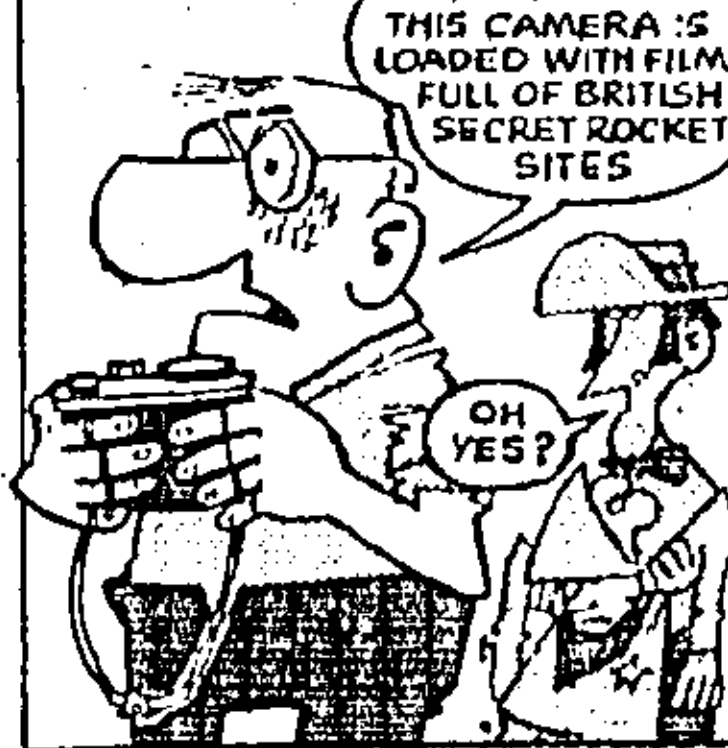
ABOVE: Australian star batsman Norman O'Neill misses a leg-sweep, turns round and sees the stumps shattered by a ball from Worcestershire's Martin Horton during the opening match of the Australians' British tour at Worcester last week. O'Neill scored 48 runs and the match was later abandoned as a draw because of rain.—Reuterphoto.

LEFT: Howard Winstone of Marbury Tyndal, Britain's new featherweight champion goes out shopping with his wife Benita and his mother in London. The 22-year-old Welshman took the title from holder Terry Spinks, who retired at the end of the 10th round in the title fight at Wembley last week.—London Express photo.

RIGHT: To the cheers of wildly enthusiastic fans, Tottenham Hotspur's captain Danny Blanchflower holds up the ribbioned Football League First Division Championship Cup after it had been presented to him by Joe Richards (in bowler hat next to Blanchflower) at White Lane recently. Spurs beat West Bromwich Albion 2-1 in their last League match to clinch the Championship.—Reuterphoto.

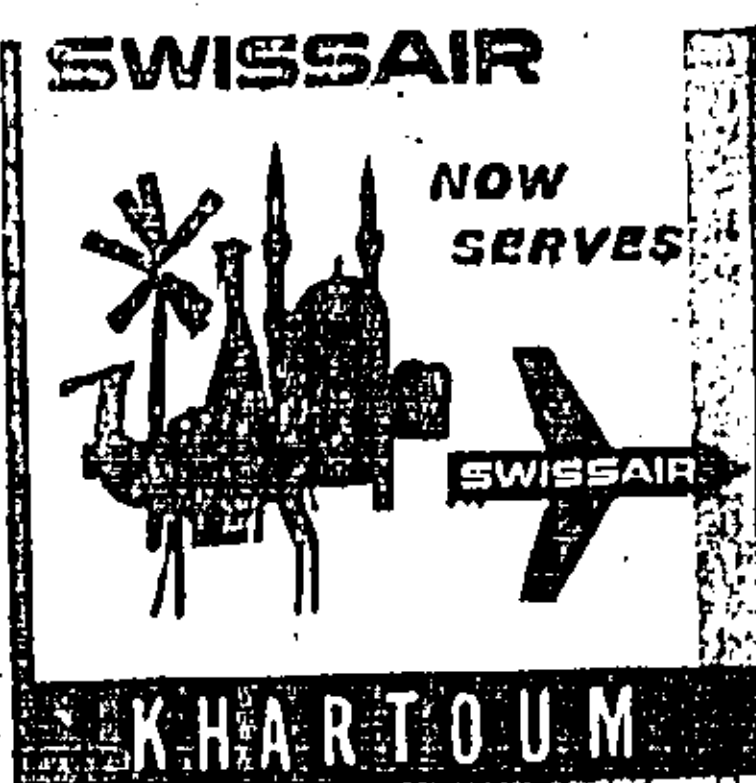
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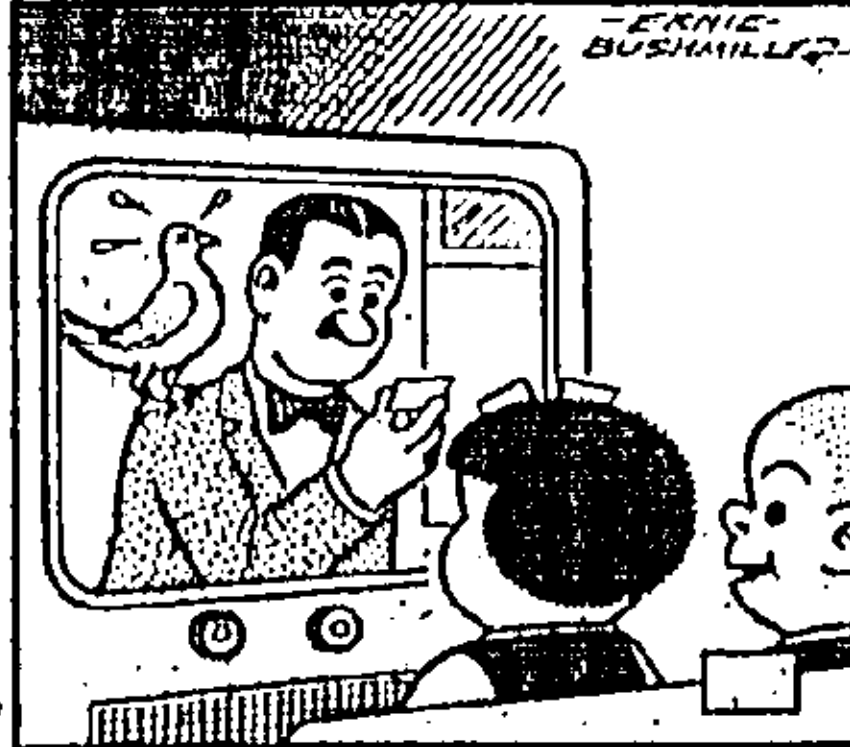
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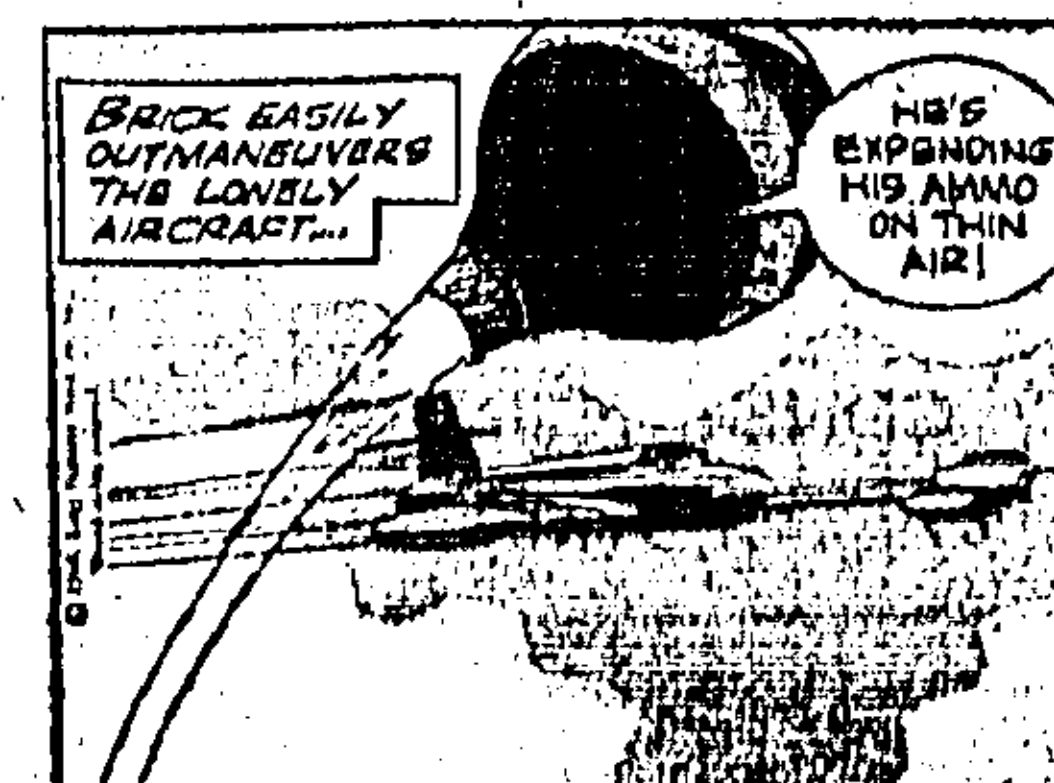


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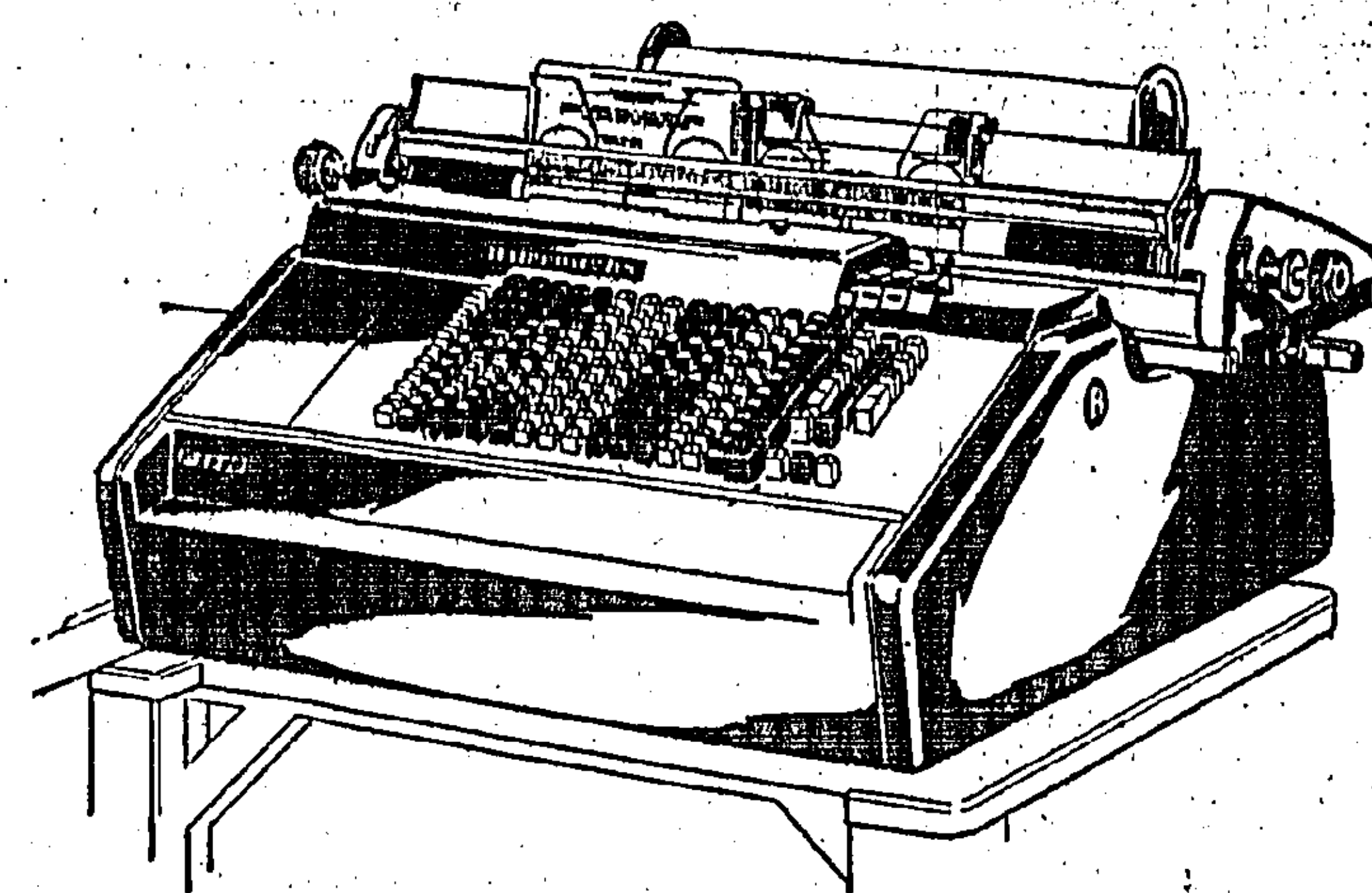


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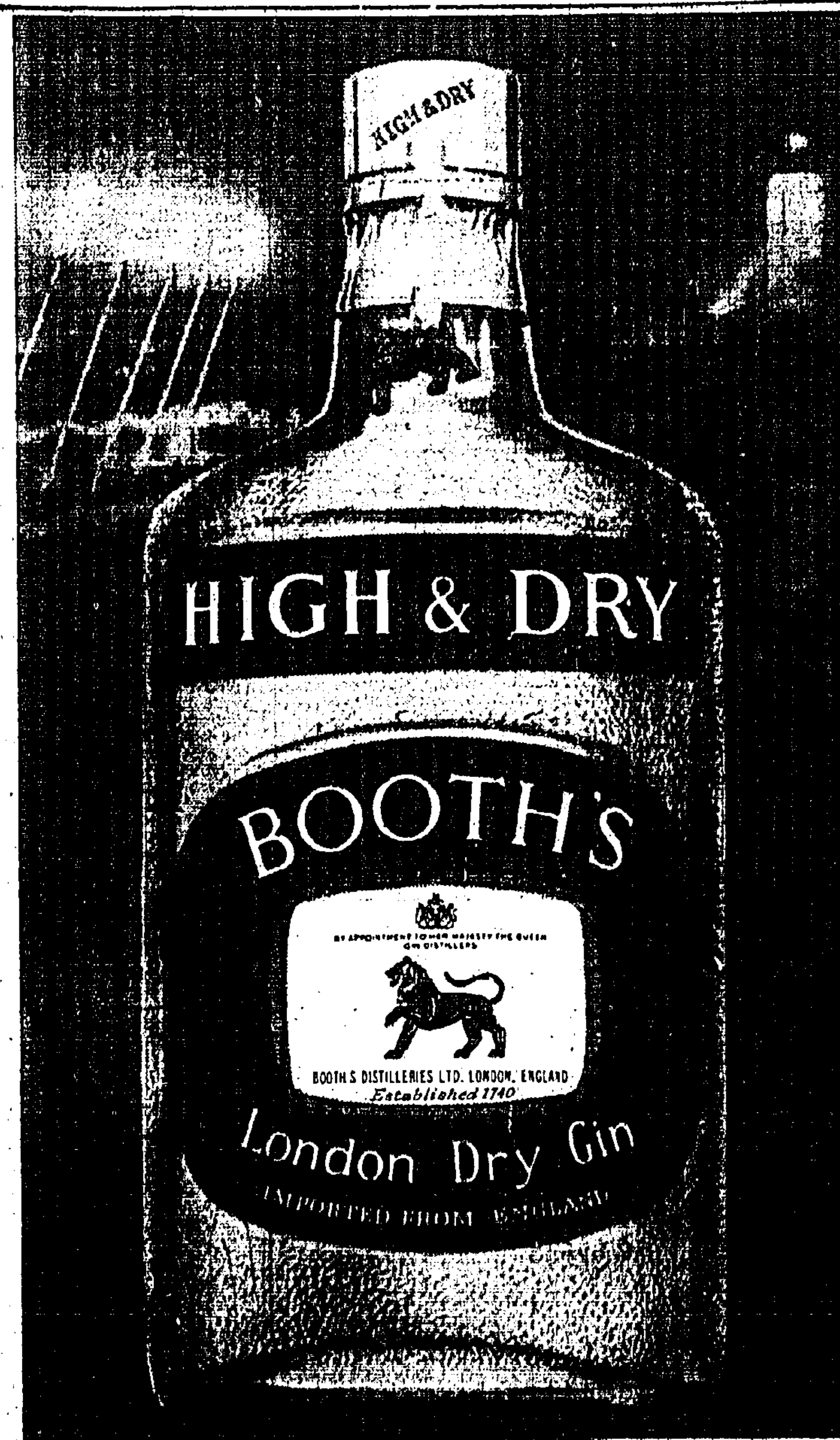
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ONE of the last remaining landmarks in the Colony, the building at the junction of Queen's Road central and Ice House Street will soon disappear and a new modern block will be erected in its place.

The old building, with the origin of which few residents are familiar as it is reputed to have been built when Des Voeux Road was the waterfront, is now in course of demolition and its owners, the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co Ltd intend, subject to the final approval of the Public Works Department, to erect on the site a building on the lines similar to that of Marina House.

The new structure will be eight storeys.

The ground floor will be used for banking and the first six floors as offices.

An interesting feature of the new building is the residential quarters on the seventh floor.

On this floor, flats, modern and compact will be erected.

The building now being demolished is one of the oldest in the Colony and was occupied for many years by the International Banking Corporation, now known as the National City Bank, of New York.

Other firms which occupied premises there are Messrs Wilkinson and Grist Messrs Ellis and Edgar and the American Consulate.

Until the completion of the Hongkong Stock Exchange building, to which it removed, Messrs William Powell Ltd were also the occupants. Messrs Palmer and Turner are the architects.

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## APPEAL JUDGE'S RULING

Mr Justice A. D. Scholes in the Appeals Court this morning quashed a magistrate's order binding over a man found guilty of loitering.

The man, Chung Kam-hung, a 47-year-old unemployed, was sentenced to three months and bound over in \$500 for one year by Mr J. R. Oliver in South Kowloon Court on March 16.

His appeal against the three-month sentence was dismissed by Mr Justice Scholes on April 18.

In a judgment handed down this morning, Mr Justice Scholes said that in indictable misdemeanours, the High Court in England had, under Common Law, the power to bind over an accused in addition to imposing a sentence of imprisonment.

"I am not satisfied that a magistrate in Hongkong, in the absence of express statutory provision, can bind a person over in addition to a term of imprisonment for an offence," Mr Justice Scholes said.

## Boy commits offence on sister

A 15-year-old boy was sent to the Stanley Training Centre for a period between nine months and three years by Mr T. C. Chan at the North Kowloon Juvenile Court this morning for indecently assaulting his four-year-old sister.

Police had said at a previous hearing that the boy committed the offence while their mother was away at work on April 21. The mother had told him to look after the girl.

## Injured girl with clog

A woman who injured a girl on the head with a wooden clog was sent to jail for two months by a magistrate in Kowloon this morning.

Prosecution said the incident occurred at a public water tap in the Shek Kip Mei resettlement area yesterday when the woman, 40-year-old, Lee So-heung, accused the 12-year-old girl of spilling some dirty water into her bucket of clothing.

## Jewels stolen

Two hundred dollars in cash and jewellery valued at \$1,070 were reported stolen from 378, Lanchukok-road, Kowloon, between 7.30 pm and 10 pm yesterday.

## REHEARSING FOR SHANGRI-LA BALL



Jane Maxwell (left), Deborah Marden (centre) and Lucy Doggett are seen in this picture rehearsing a song from "Merrie England" called "Cat, cat where have you been?"

It is one of the songs they will sing in a musical pageant called "May Revels" which is

being presented at the Shangri-la Ball in aid of the Boys and Girls Clubs' Association at the Repulse Bay Hotel on Friday.

Deborah is Queen of the May in the pageant. She will be accompanied by a group of young attendants, flower girls and Morris dancers.

On the following day, they will repeat the performance at the YWCA May Fair in aid of resettlement children in YWCA nurseries.

The fair opens at 10.30 am and the "May Revels" will take place at 3 pm. — China Mail photo.

## dear sir

### A GREAT ARCHBISHOP

Your report of yesterday of the Archbishop of Canterbury Dr Geoffrey Fisher's appeal to the British people to help "the world's hungry and homeless millions" during Christian Aid Week has confirmed Dr Fisher's greatness as a Christian and as the greatest Archbishop of Canterbury Britain has ever had, since the first recorded holder of that important office Ralph d'Escures in 1114 A.D.

As the 63rd Archbishop of Canterbury, Dr Geoffrey Fisher is the first in the history of the Church of England to make an appeal to the Roman Catholic Church of Rome to attempt a spanning of the breach that has for centuries separated the two Christian Churches, both recognising and worshipping the same God.

By his magnanimity, by his broadmindedness and largeness of heart, Dr Fisher has exemplified the true Christian spirit when he paid his official visit to Pope John XXIII some months ago, thus paving the way for the possible visit of the Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh to the Head of the Church of Rome the result of which will surely help to strengthen the bond already established by our Archbishop of Canterbury.

It takes great courage and a determination to overcome prejudice for one in such a high and responsible position as the Archbishop of Canterbury to attempt to heal the schism rent asunder by those that had gone before him in ages past, and although it will be many more years before the two separated Churches can be knit in one, the prospect is hopelessly fruitful, and all that is necessary today is for Christians throughout the world of all established churches, of the various and many denominations and sects, to pray for unity that Christ's many flocks may be gathered back into one fold.

During the Christian Aid Week we Christians can offer our less enlightened brethren spiritual as well as material aid, and we should show by examples and precepts that we are true followers of Christ after Whom we honour ourselves as Christians. A true Christian should have no place for prejudice, for uncharitableness or for bigotry. He should be Christlike, full of love and understanding.

JUST A CHRISTIAN.

## Man dies in accident

A 52-year-old man, Tsui Kwai, died after falling from a lorry at Castle Peak-road near the junction of Texaco-road, Tsui Wan, yesterday morning.

## Axe attack

A 27-year-old man was injured in an axe-attack by another man in the Yu On Camphorwood factory, Wo Ho Shek, at 8 am yesterday. He was admitted to Kowloon Hospital. Police have detained a man for enquiries.

## THE EICHMANN TRIAL

### Deaths of 4,000 Jewish children

Jerusalem, May 9.  
A Russian-born French scientist today told the court trying Adolf Eichmann that 4,000 Jewish children were rounded up in Paris in 1942 and deported in batches to Auschwitz extermination camp in Poland.

"In 1944, when you reached Auschwitz, did you see any one of these children alive?" the Assistant Prosecutor, Mr Gabriel Bach, asked.

"No, I did not," Professor Georges Wellers of Paris University answered. Mr Bach quoted a report of a telephone conversation in which Eichmann told his transport officer that as soon as deportations to occupied Poland were possible, "children's transports can get under way."

Mr Bach also submitted a report from Eichmann's representative in Paris saying that Pierre Laval, Prime Minister of the Vichy Govern-

## Stole tourist's wallet, jailed for two years

A woman was jailed for two years by Mr Derek Cons at Central Court this morning for stealing from a Vietnamese woman tourist a wallet containing 3,500 Dong (Vietnamese currency), US\$40 and HK\$529.

The 36-year-old unemployed woman, Chan Mul, of 824 Canton-road, first floor, pleaded guilty. She had nine previous convictions which included larceny, attempted larceny, receiving stolen property and other offences.

A second defendant, 49-year-old Chan Hok-chau, unemployed, who reversed his earlier plea of not guilty to one of guilty in order not "to waste the Court's time" was jailed for 15 months for receiving the stolen wallet from the woman. Chan Hok-chau had eight previous convictions.

Inspector G. D. Carter said that on Monday about 3 pm, a detective party had kept Chan Mul under observation since she was acting suspiciously in the Central district. She was seen looking into women's handbags and later entered the Yeb and Co Ltd, Man Yee Building, where she remained for about 10 minutes.

The detectives later followed her into the Luen Hing Emporium, Queen's-road Central, where she was caught stealing a wallet from the handbag of the Vietnamese woman tourist, Thaw Thi Bruch.

When the second defendant reversed his plea he suggested to the Magistrate that he could not be charged with both stealing and receiving.

The first charge of stealing against him was subsequently dismissed.

## Charged with road deaths

Tsang Ngan, of 232 Wanchai-road, ground floor, appeared before Mr I. T. Morris at Causeway Bay court this morning on a summons of dangerous driving causing death to two persons.

It is alleged that on January 21 this year at 4.10 pm at Queen's-road West opposite house 410-N Tsang drove a goods vehicle dangerously and thereby caused the death of Fung Kwok-hung and Tang Kit-chun.

Tsang pleaded not guilty. Hearing was adjourned to June 12, 13 and 14.

## Stole bale of cotton worth \$880

A 39-year-old man who stole one bale of cotton yarn worth \$880 from a cargo junk was jailed for nine months by Mr Derek Cons at Central Magistracy this morning.

Wong Muk, of 168 Reclamation-street, second floor, Kowloon, was additionally fined \$500 for breaking a bond he signed last month.

Detective Inspector Kong Fung-chuk told the court that on Sunday afternoon a cargo junk collected 150 bales of cotton yarn from a ship in Yaumatei Bay and anchored in the Yaumatei Typhoon Shelter the same night.

Next morning the junk master discovered one of the bales missing and reported the matter to the police.

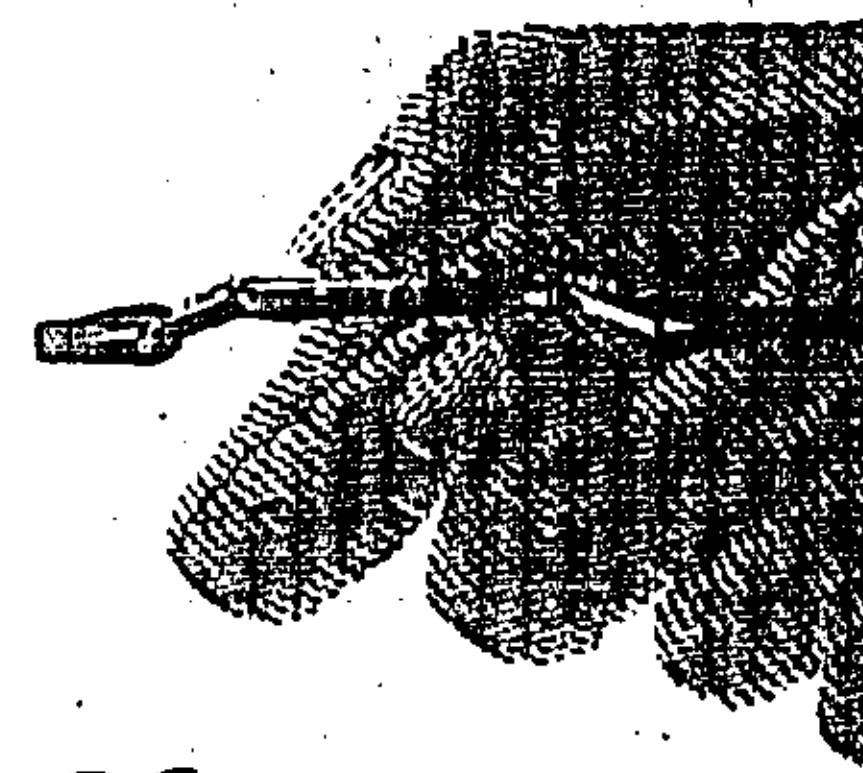
Detectives arrested Wong in Mongkok in the afternoon.

Wong took the police to the waterfront in Pitt-street where 28 bundles of cotton yarn were recovered.

Wong had 12 previous convictions, four of them for larceny. The cotton yarn was returned to the owner.

## Exhibition

An exhibition of Chinese art opened today at the assembly hall of the Hong Kong General Chamber of Commerce, Connaught-road. It will remain open to the public until Friday. The display includes scrolls, paintings and examples of calligraphy.



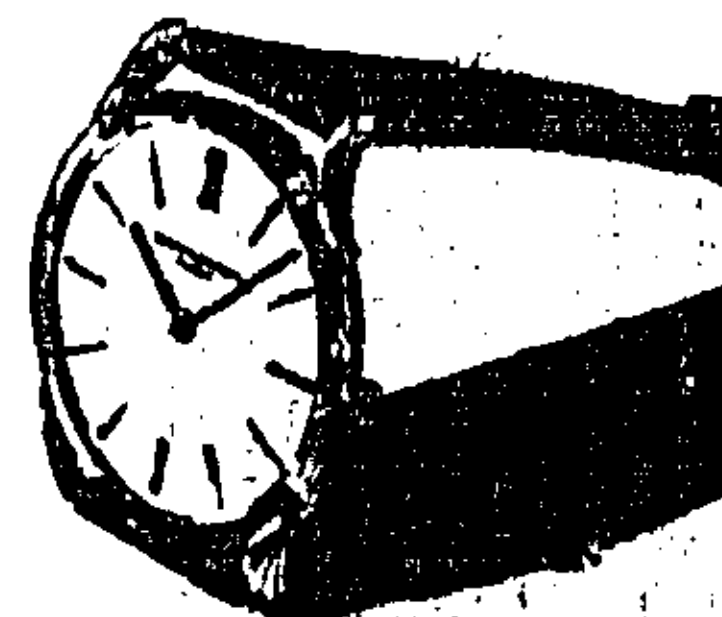
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